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CHICASSOM FARM

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EUGENE, OREGON

## Greetings:

We appreciate this opportunity of presenting our 1943 catalog which commemorates our 21st year in the bulb business. You will find herein a splendid collection of bulbs for your gardening pleasure. The varieties have been chosen with great care and the knowledge gained by over 21 years of growing bulbs—an intimate knowledge of bulbs which only long experience of growing, grading, packaging, and shipping can give. Our constant endeavor is to supply bulbs of which we can be proud and which will produce the best possible results in your garden. That we are successful in this effort is shown by the

large number of gardening friends that our bulbs have made for us through the years.

We hope that we may have an opportunity to help make your spring garden brighter and more beautiful. Making a little of the world brighter and more beautiful—that, we feel, makes our business worth while.

CONLEY'S BLOSSOM FARM
Pat and Lola Conley

## King Alfred Daffodil

Occasionally there is developed a variety that is so outstanding in quality that it becomes the standard by which all others are judged. Such a variety is King Alfred. It is grown more than all other daffodils together and each year millions of the flowers go from the fields and greenhouses to the cut-flower markets. The flowers are of good size and of such good quality that they last unusually well both on the plant and when cut. The stems are tall and strong, holding the blossoms erect in almost any weather. The large firm bulbs are disease resistant and increase rapidly. We grow many acres of this variety and that gives an opportunity to carefully choose the select bulbs that we ship to you. We doubt if you can get better King Alfred bulbs anywhere.

**JUMBO MOTHER BULBS.** This is the largest and finest grade obtainable. Especially selected from the hundreds of thousands of bulbs we grow. Each bulb will produce three to five blossoms the first spring.

3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50, 100 for \$18.75

LARGE DOUBLE NOSE GRADE. Each nose will produce a flower so you get two flowers from each bulb. These are beautiful, smooth, firm bulbs, carefully selected.

3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80, 100 for \$13.50

**LARGE ROUND GRADE.** Firm round bulbs that will give one bloom next spring but what a wonderful large flower it will be! This is the type of bulb to plant if you want to leave them without digging as long as possible.

3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50

NO. 2 DOUBLE NOSE GRADE. These are bulbs that because of size may not be put in the Large Double Nose Grade. Otherwise they are perfect—clean and firm—and measure over six inches around. They may all make two blooms the first season but we only claim they will produce 18 flowers per dozen bulbs.

12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.75

## King Alfred Planting Stock

These are the small bulbs that are planted in the fields to produce the big bulbs for the following years. Ordinarily we do not offer such bulbs for sale but this year our crop is so large that we are setting aside a limited quantity for our customers. This is a wonderful opportunity to develop a planting of King Alfreds so that you can have hundreds of flowers for your own use or for sale. Orders for this stock should be placed as early as possible as most of our bulbs are planted by the middle of September. No orders will be accepted after Oct. 1. Not less than 10 pounds sold. The size of the bulbs vary considerably but they will average around 10 bulbs per pound. Many of the bulbs will bloom the first season. All of them should give good big flowers the second season.

12½ lbs., \$5.00; 30 lbs., \$10.00; 100 lbs., \$30.00 These prices for planting stock are not postpaid. Shipment is usually best made by express collect.

#### fodils I got from you last fall (jumbo size), were excellent—averaged 4 blooms per bulb. The Narcissi-Daffodil assortment was beautiful—every

one bloomed, ar such beauties!

Mrs. C. B.,

The King Alfred Daf-

KING ALFRED

Mrs. C. B., Hay, Wash.

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May I say that we enjoy ordering our bulbs from you. They produce marvelous flowers, and you have always been so very prompt, fair, and satisfactory in every

Mrs. W. E. R., Puente, Calif.

I want to compliment you on the bulbs I ordered last fall. They were wonder-ful. I received so many compliments on my flowers, but I want to especially mention the King Al-fred daffodils. Each fred daffodils. Each bulb produced five flowers with stems at least 18 inches long. I really couldn't de-I really coulant aescribe how beautiful they were.
Mrs. R. L. M.,
La Grande, Ore.



## Conley's DAFFODILS FOR MASS PLANTING

#### MIXED NARCISSI-DAFFODILS

This is a splendid assortment of all the different types of daffodils and narcissi. It includes a number of the giant trumpet types like King Alfred. The medium cup Incomparabilis, Leedsii, and Barrii types are present in a great many forms and combinations of yellow, white and orange-red. The smaller types are represented by the delightfully fragrant jonguils, true poet's narcissi and cluster-flowered poetaz narcissi. Add to all these some doubles and representatives of the lesser known types and you have the contents of this grand mixture. A good planting of this choice mixture is a permanent investment in gardening pleasure. It will increase in beauty from year to year. The flowering time spreads over many weeks in the early spring. The assortment is ideal for planting in woodland or along streams and in borders or beds. It will provide quantities of beautiful cutflowers.

Few bulbs give as much beauty with as little care as the daffodils. Once planted they may be left undisturbed for several years and only need to be lifted and divided when the bulbs become crowded. Plant the bulbs about six inches deep as early in the fall as you can. Any good garden soil is satisfactory. Plenty of moisture until the bulbs are ripe, then a dry rest period is what they like best.

Double Nose Bulbs	ROUND BULBS
12 for \$ 1.00	16 for \$ 1.00
25 for \$ 2.00	35 for \$ 2.00
100 for \$ 7.50	100 for \$ 5.00
250 for \$16.00	250 for \$12.00
1000 for \$67.50	1000 for \$45.00

Each bulb will produce from 2 to 4 blooms the first season.

Each bulb will produce at least one bloom the first season.

## DAFFODIL PLANTING STOCK

Some of the daffodils increase so rapidly that our stocks are becoming too large for the space available. Consequently for the first time we are offering planting stock of these varieties to our customers. By the fact that these kinds have increased so rapidly you can be sure that they are strong vigorous sorts and that these smaller bulbs will quickly grow into large bulbs that will make a grand showing for you. A large portion of the bulbs will flower the first season. All should bloom the second season and some with two or three flowers. The bulb size varies considerably but there will be somewhere between 10 and 20 bulbs in a pound. These bulbs should be planted early in the fall and no planting stock will be available after September 15th.

Here are the varieties available:

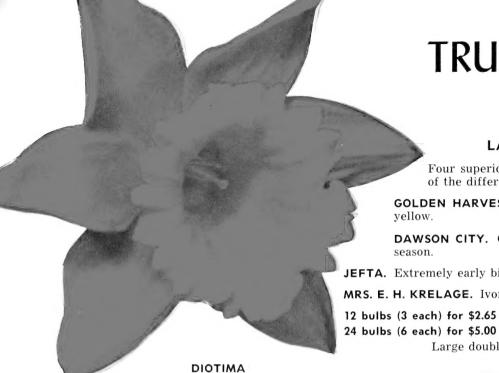
HELIOS, SIR WATKIN, BATH'S FLAME. DIANA KASNER, GOLDEN SCEPTRE, THE PEARL.

Prices of any of these varieties:

121/2 pounds for \$ 5.00 pounds for \$10.00 100 pounds for \$30.00

Planting stock will be shipped at purchaser's expense. Express Collect is usually the best method.

> The King Alfred Daffodils. jumbo size, are perfect, we have never seen anything quite so large in the narcissi or daffodils. Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. B.,



## TRUMPET DAFFODILS

#### COLLECTION

of

#### LARGE TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Four superior varieties chosen to give a beautiful display of the different types for weeks during the early spring.

GOLDEN HARVEST. Very large and very early. Deep golden

DAWSON CITY. Golden yellow of beautiful form, later in the season.

JEFTA. Extremely early bicolor.

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE. Ivory white trumpet, midseason.

12 bulbs (3 each) for \$2.65

48 bulbs (12 each) for \$ 9.75 100 bulbs (25 each) for \$19.00

Large double nose bulbs. Shipped postpaid

## ALL YELLOW DAFFODILS

Division 1-A—Large trumpet varieties with both trumpet and perianth same shade of yellow.

**AEROLITE.** As you can see from the picture this is a beautifully shaped flower. It has good stems, holds its head well up, and altogether is an excellent variety especially for garden decoration. The color is soft, medium yellow throughout. Medium early. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00, 100 for

DAWSON CITY. A most attractive golden yellow flower having much the form of the white Beersheba. It is becoming popular for both garden and cutting. A desirable variety to extend the daffodil season as it is rather late flowering. 3 for 60c, 12 for \$2.25.

**DIOTIMA.** A daffodil of giant size but well proportioned—lacking the coarseness of some of the extra large varieties. The somewhat star-shaped perianth (5 to 6 inches across) is deep primrose. The trumpet is golden yellow. There has never been a sufficient supply to care for the demand for this variety. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, 12 for \$7.50.

GOLDEN HARVEST. A new giant daffodil that we believe is going to capture some of the popularity from King Alfred as soon as it becomes better known. It is earlier and larger than King Alfred but does not have as strong a stem. The flower is well formed and has good daffodil colordeep golden yellow. 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.

KING ALFRED. See page 2.

MINISTER TALMA. If you want a profusion of large golden yellow daffodils very early in the season at a low price here it is. Besides being good in the garden it is also a most satisfactory variety for growing in pots, producing many flowers on stems of medium height. Our bulbs are large and will make from two to four blossoms the first season. 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.00.

WINTER GOLD. Each year this bright golden daffodil comes into full bloom long before most of the "early" daffodils are showing color. Plant a clump of them in a warm protected spot for the first real daffodil display of the season. The large flower has a bright yellow perianth and long frilled trumpet of deeper yellow. 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.



**AEROLITE** 

## Hints on Growing Daffodils

Like all other bulbs, narcissi-daffodils repay us for giving them the proper care by producing more and better flowers. Start with good bulbs; this almost guarantees flowers for the first year. See that the soil is well prepared. This means deep digging and plenty of plant food, especially phosphates and potash. Early planting is advisable. September is the best month for most parts of the country. Cover the tops of the bulbs about 4 inches, and in cold climates mulch well after the ground has frozen. It is a mistake to leave the bulbs too many years without resetting them. They become crowded and fail to bloom. About every third year, dig the bulbs when the tops have ripened. Store in a cool, airy place and reset in the fall. Never move the bulbs before or during blooming time as it will injure their growth very severely.



**HADES** 

## **INCOMPARABILIS**

**Division 2**—The cup or crown measuring from one-third to nearly equal the length of the perianth segments. The perianths are white or yellow and the cups yellow, yellow shaded with red or all red.

ADLER. This is a large flower showing a striking color contrast between the pure white perianth and the chrome-yellow cup that shades to blood-orange at the frilled edge. Beautifully formed flat perianth and deep cup make it an exhibition flower of much merit. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$4.00.

**CARLTON.** One of the outstanding varieties that is now in the low price class. It is a very large flower of clear yellow throughout. The perianth is very broad and the large flaring trumpet is nicely frilled. The plant is vigorous in growth with tall stems and heavy foliage. **3** for **55c**, **12** for **\$2.00**, **100** for **\$15.00**.

DAMSON. An exceptionally good large long stemmed flower of bright color. The perianth when just opened is a medium yellow but turns to creamy white shading yellow at the base. The long cup is orange-red throughout. 3 for 60c, 12 for \$2.25, 100 for \$16.85.

**DICK WELLBAND.** This variety would stand out in any collection because of the brilliant contrast between the pure white perianth and the flame orange cup. The color of the cup lasts unusually well. This is a strong vigorous grower and very free flowering. A marvelous exhibition variety. **Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.** 

## THE COLORFUL DAFFODILS

FORTUNE. One of the world's most famous daffodils and now that the price is so low it should be in every garden. The flowers are very large, the color bright and clean and it is extremely early. Very vigorous plant with long strong stems. Deep golden yellow perianth, orange-red cup. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.50.

HELIOS. A very early flower of deep yellow. The cup is shaded orange—quite deep orange when the weather is cool at blossoming time. The flowers are large and the stems tall and strong. One of the best for forcing. Very free flowering. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.



**HELIOS** 

FOLLY. It is desirable to plant varieties like this one to prolong the daffodil season. Not only is it very late but the flowers last a long time, increasing in size and beauty for days. The pure white petals are gracefully recurved. The smooth bowl-shaped cup is deep yellow shading to orange-red at the brim. Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.

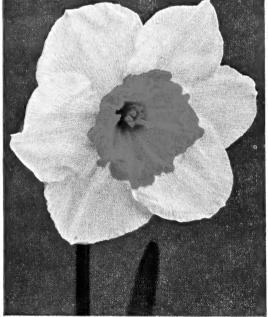
FRANCISCA DRAKE. A striking flower of brilliant color and unusual form. The petals, which reflex somewhat, are pure white tinted gold at the base. The large wide cup is flame-orange at the densely frilled edge, shading lighter to the base. Vigorous and free-flowering. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00, 100 for \$15.00.

KILLIGREW. A high quality flower for the garden, cutting or exhibition. Bright yellow overlapping perianth of smooth finish. The large frilled cup is tangerineorange and holds its color better than most bright cups. 3 for 65c, 12 for \$2.40.

PORTHILLY. One of the most striking of the yellow and red varieties. The large open cup is a marvelous shade, vivid orange-crimson, and beautifully frilled. The clear yellow perianth is broad and smooth. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.75, 12 for \$10.00.

RED CROSS. One of the most satisfactory and dependable varieties in this list. The blossoms are large and substantial on strong tall stems. Flat perianth of primrose, large deep cup of orange yellow shading to orange red at the frilled edge. 3 for 65c, 12 for \$2.40.

RUSTOM PASHA. This is really an outstanding variety that always attracts attention. The large cup is colored brilliant orange and the color deepens with age. Very broad deep golden perianth. Tall growing, vigorous growth. The price this year is cut almost in half. Each \$3.25, 3 for \$9.00.



JOHN EVELYN

JOHN EVELYN. The picture gives some idea of why this is one of the world's most popular daffodils. The broad flat cup is extremely frilled and fluted, colored lemon-yellow tinted apricot. Vigorous and free flowering. 3 for 65c, 12 for \$2.40.

## --- BRIGHT MEDIUM CUPS

SCARLET LEADER. A spectacular flower wide cup of vivid orange-scarlet set off by a large creamy white perianth. Attracts much attention either in the garden or on exhibition. Strong sturdy plant. Each \$1.35, 3 for \$3.65.

**SIR WATKIN.** An old variety that is still useful for landscape effect or for cutting. The good sized flowers have a primrose perianth and deep yellow cup. Not as fine as some of the newer varieties but note the low price. Largest double nose bulbs. **12 for \$1.35, 100 for \$10.00.** 

No. 2 double nose bulbs. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

**ST. EGWIN.** A collection made up entirely of the bright orange red cups would be tiring to the eye. The clear soft yellow of this exquisite variety affords a restful contrast. The large broad blossoms are beautifully proportioned and have a silky smooth texture. Very tall stems. **Each** \$1.25, 3 for \$3.45.

WHITELEY GEM. This variety is in much demand because it is first of the red-cups. The flower is much like Fortune but somewhat smaller. It is a vigorous grower with well proportioned flowers on tall stems. 3 for 75c, 12 for \$2.75.

YELLOW POPPY. Another soft yellow flower of silky texture. The perianth is large and flat. The cup is of medium size and bordered with a narrow orange rim. Excellent for garden decoration and especially good for naturalizing. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80, 100 for \$13.50.



Four lovely varieties chosen to give beautiful flowers in the main color combinations.

**KILLIGREW.** Yellow and orange-red.

CARLTON. All yellow.

**FRANCISCA DRAKE.** White and orange-red.

**ALCIDA.** White and yellow edged red.

5 each (20 bulbs) \$3.45 12 each (48 bulbs) \$7.50



**HADES.** The color of the cup is frequently stated to be the darkest red in daffodils. It is a deep cherry red that lasts exceptionally well for so bright a color. The large flat perianth is creamy white. A strong vigorous variety. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, 12 for \$5.00.** 

**LADY KESTEVEN.** One of the most brilliant daffodils yet introduced. The perianth is clear pure white, well formed and substantial. The crown is bright cherry red. **Each 90c, 3 for \$2.45.** 



DICK

WELLBAND

Division 3. The same colors as in the Incomparabilis section but with shorter cups—less than one-third the length of the perianth seg-

ALCIDA. This well colored flower of firm substance comes near the end of the daffodil season. Large creamy perianth, broad cup of deep yellow with orange-red frill. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80, 100 for \$13.50.

BATH'S FLAME. A brilliant flower with large informal perianth of bright yellow and deeper yellow cup edged orange-scarlet. Very tall stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.

DIANA KASNER. Large size flower having a cream perianth and yellow cup with bright orange-red margin. A vigorous growing, dependable variety that produces an abundance of tall stemmed flowers that are excellent for cutting. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.



DELAWARE

HERA

## PINK DAFFODILS

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. This is the "Pink Daffodil", and with us here in the Northwest it certainly is pink. When the flower opens the trumpet is amber in tone but the yellow soon disappears leaving a beautiful clear shell pink coloration. While the flower has a delicate appearance it really is long lasting and makes a delightful cut flower. Each 55c, 3 for \$1.50, 12 for \$5.50.

**VERONICA.** A new and charming addition to the list of daffodils showing pink color. It has a deeply frilled cup of pinkish apricot backed by a broad-petaled pure white perianth. **Each \$1.35, 3 for \$3.75, 12 for \$13.50.** 

## LEEDSII -- White and Pink

**Division 4**—Perianth white. Cup white cream or pale citron, sometimes tinged with pink or apricot.

#### LONG CUPS

**DAISY SCHAFFER.** Certainly this is one of the most beautiful light colored daffodils. The flowers are very large, attractively formed and the coloring is lovely. When the large trumpet is fully developed the outer half is light lemon yellow while the inner half is white with a lemon green throat. The wide spreading perianth is pure white. **Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.** 

**DELAWARE.** This has been one of our special favorites for years. Now that the price is greatly reduced we hope you will try it. The trumpet has remarkable, heavy velvety texture. As shown in the illustration it opens a golden quince color. It changes to creamy lemon in a few days and the perianth becomes pure white. Unique fragrance. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, 12 for \$5.00.** 

**SILVER STAR.** A reliable and beautiful variety—the most popular of this list. The good sized flower has a creamy white perianth and a trumpet which opens primrose but changes to creamy white. We like to plant it in drifts with the light blue or pink hyacinths. The effect is delightful. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.10, 100 for \$15.75.** 

**TUNIS.** Gardeners get a real bargain when varieties like this are available at such low prices. It is a marvelous flower. The coppery gold frill on the trumpet of the otherwise white flower is outstanding. The plant is unusually vigorous with heavy foliage and long stems. **Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.** 

WHITE NILE. This is the earliest of the white cups that we have grown. The pure white flowers are shaped much like a medium size trumpet daffodil and are produced in great profusion. It rates high both for garden decoration and for cutting. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.

#### SHORT CUPS OR CROWNS

**HERA.** If you want a lovely pure white flower of medium size for garden decoration or for cutting this is one of the best. When it first opens the cup is bordered with primrose. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.** 

MRS. NETTE O'MELVENY. A fine tall-stemmed flower with large perianth of pure white, medium size cup of clear lemon yellow with orange picotee. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.

MYSTIC. Near the end of the Narcissus season this exquisite flower appears fresh and clean. The flat cup is unique in coloration, pure white shading to cool green in the center and having a rim of pinkish orange. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.50.



**CHEERFULNESS** 

## THE DOUBLES

**Division 10.** Double flowers of white, cream and yellow, sometimes with inner petals of orange or red.

**DOUBLE CAMPERNELLE JONQUIL** (Odorus Campernelli Plenus). A splendid variety bearing heads of deep yellow double flowers on tall stems. Rich green rush-like foliage. Delightfully fragrant. Like the other campernelles it is much better when not dug for two or three years. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

**IRENE COPELAND.** A large fully double snow white flower with inner petals of primrose. The coloring is much like Royal Sovereign but the petals are narrower and more closely packed. The strong stems hold upright the very large flowers. **Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$4.00.** 

MARY COPELAND. Semi-double blossom of creamy white with shorter petals of brilliant orange. A beautiful variety that has delightful fragrance. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$4.00.

**MOULIN ROUGE.** A very lovely double. The longer petals are primrose shading lighter to the center. The inner petals are deep yellow orange. **Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25, 12 for \$4.50.** 

**ROYAL SOVEREIGN.** We consider this an especially attractive and graceful double—quite lacking in the stiffness of some varieties. The creamy-white longer petals are interspersed with short crinkled petaloids of soft primrose yellow. New greatly lowered price. **Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.** 

**THE PEARL.** A graceful flower of creamy-white interspersed with some petals of sulphur-yellow. We sell thousands of the bulbs yearly for it is in great demand both for garden decoration and for cutting. **3** for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**TEXAS.** Giant flowers of bright yellow interspersed with brilliant orange. The stems are tall and the whole plant shows great vigor. **Each 55c, 3 for \$1.50, 12 for \$5.40.** 

**TWINK.** A splendid double that should be in every collection. It is of the semi-double type with longer petals of soft primrose and inner petals of clear orange. Very early and long lasting. The large flowers are well supported by tall strong stems. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00, 100 for \$15.00.** 

## COLLECTION OF DOUBLE DAFFODILS

The five finest new varieties chosen to give a wide selection of these beautiful flowers in their various colors and forms.

IRENE COPELAND MARY COPELAND

MOULIN ROUGE ROYAL SOVEREIGN

**TEXAS** 

3 each (15 bulbs) \$ 5.35 6 each (30 bulbs) \$ 9.95 12 each (60 bulbs) \$19.50

## The Distinctive DOUBLES

CHERFULNESS. The double Poetaz Narcissus Elvira. Two to four charming double flowers made up of creamy white outer petals and shorter petals of soft yellow. Sweet narcissus fragrance. Easily grown and very free-flowering. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.



Was certainly pleased with my bulbs last year. All of them had two blossoms and some three. The nicest bulbs I have ever bought.

Gladys C., La Grande, Ore.

**TEXAS** 



## The Fragrant **JONQUILS**

Division 7. These are the true jonquils and the jonquil hybrids -not to be confused with the large trumpet daffodils that are often erroneously called "jonguils". The flowers are usually golden yellow and in clusters.

GOLDEN PERFECTION. Of all the self-colored narcissi, this is certainly one of the finest. The flowers are large in size. usually two on a stem. These stems are strong and very tall. The bright golden blossoms are beautifully formed and last a long time. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00, 100 for \$15.00.

GOLDEN SCEPTRE. Another attractive hybrid of a single ionquil and a large daffodil. It has the color and fragrance of the jonguil with a daffodil-like trumpet. It is wonderfully free flowering with tall stems and attractive foliage. The first

blooms come quite early and are followed by secondary flower stems. The result is that the flowering period is longer than that of almost any other narcissus in our plantings. Sometimes two flowers on the stem. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

JONQUILLA SIMPLEX. This is a charming slender growing type with numerous perfect little florets in graceful clusters. The color is rich vellow and the fragrance is delicious. The little bulbs may be left undisturbed for years. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.20.

LANARTH. An attractive hybrid with beautifully formed flowers on very tall stems. Deep golden over-lapping perianth, shallow cup of old gold flushed orange. A choice variety for the garden or exhibition. Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.



CAMPERNELLE

## The Cluster Flowering POETAZ

Division 8—A group of hardy bunch flowering hybrids of the Poeticus and Polyanthus Narcissi. They bear clusters of fragrant long lasting flowers that are excellent for garden decoration or for cutting.

CHEERFULNESS. See Double Narcissi.

**ELVIRA.** Three or four good sized substantial flowers on tall erect stems. The petals are pure white, the cups are bright yellow with a narrow orange rim. Very dependable and satisfactory. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

GERANIUM. Large pure white perianth with beautiful orangered cup. Four to six florets on a stem. A bright clean appearing flower that we recommend highly. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.

GLORIOUS. A very fine outstanding flower. Each tall stem bears two or three very large flowers with broad poeticus type perianth and orange-scarlet eye. Particularly recommended for partial shade. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.

KLONDYKE. One of the finest yellow poetaz. Four to seven large flowers in the cluster. Rich yellow perianth and darker cup. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

> SCARLET GEM. This is the best of the Poetaz varieties with yellow perianths and orange-red cups that we have grown. The perianth is primrose yellow and the cup is orange-scarlet. The clusters are composed of four to six gracefully arranged florets on good stems. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.

SILVER CHIMES (Triandrus Hybrid). See page 11.

### COLLECTION of POETAZ NARCISSI

You will enjoy a large amount of pleasure from a planting of these lovely fragrant narcissi. The collection includes the five varieties described

5 bulbs each (25 bulbs) \$3.40 12 bulbs each (60 bulbs) \$7.85



Campernelle Jonquil). This delightful variety is one of the most beloved early spring flowers. The uniquely fragrant flowers are bright yellow and come in clusters of two to four. The stems are tall and round and the foliage erect and rushlike. It makes attractive clumps in the border and provides many lovely flowers for decorations. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

ODORUS CAMPERNELLE PLENUS (Double Campernelle Jonquil). See Doubles, page 9.

TREVITHIAN. A quite distinct variety with flowers of soft lemon yellow throughout. Each stem bears two or more of the lovely smooth textured blossoms with broad perianth and shallow cups. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.



SOLEIL D'OR

GRAND SOLEIL D'OR. This variety has been extensively used for forcing but its usefulness out of doors has been too often overlooked. It is as hardy as many of the daffodils. Large clusters of dark yellow flowers with bright orange cups. Tall growing and vigorous. Healthy home grown bulbs. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

## Charming Smaller Daffodils for Rock Garden or Border

## TRIANDRUS HYBRIDS

**Division 5**—All varieties which are obviously derived from N. Triandrus. Of very graceful habit with flowers that are more or less drooping.

**PEARLY QUEEN.** Each stem bears two or three flowers with star-shaped creamy white perianth and short smooth trumpet of lemon yellow. The distinct pearly sheen provides the name. The drooping flower clusters are freely produced. The attractive blossoms are delightful in flower arrangements. **3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80.** 

**SHOT SILK.** A charming triandrus hybrid of the Thalia type bearing three flowers of soft pure white in a graceful cluster. Somewhat star-shaped petals, long narrow cup. Probably the highest in quality of any of the little daffodils. **Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.50.** 

SILVER CHIMES. This is a cluster flowering variety — quite a different type from the other varieties in this list. It is a choice flower, one of the finest things in our whole catalog, and quite a favorite with us. The large clusters are made up of six to 12 florets with white perianths and firm cups of pale primrose. Where the winters are severe it would need to be grown in a cool greenhouse but here on the Pacific Coast and in other moderate climates it is dependably hardy. Grows vigorously and increases rapidly. Each \$1.15, 3 for \$3.15, 12 for \$11.50.

**THALIA.** The picture below gives only an inkling of the exquisite beauty of this lovely variety. The flowers are of the purest white usually arranged in a cluster of three. The bulbs are easy to grow and produce freely of these enchanting flowers so desirable for arrangements or corsages. **Each 25c, 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.** 



THALIA

CANALICULATUS. A dainty little polyanthus narcissus suitable for sunny situations in the rock garden. Tiny heads of three or four florets on 6-inch stems. White perianth and globular yellow cup. Sweetly scented. Grows very easily and increases rapidly. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS. The yellow Hoop Petticoat Daffodil. The blossoms are rich golden yellow of hoop petticoat form and slender round foliage. These gay little flowers are abundantly produced on 6-inch stems. Easily grown. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

BULBOCODIUM CITRINUS. The Sulphur Hoop Petticoat Daffodil. It is larger than Conspicuus having stems 6 to 18 inches high. The beautiful blossoms are pale citron color. Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.

**JONQUILLA SIMPLEX.** See Jonquils, page 10.

Companions for the little daffodils, Tulip Species in wide array, page 14. Small bulbs of many types, page 26.

BERYL. This pleasing little variety bears small gracefully nodding blossoms. The slightly reflexing perianth is primrose, the globular cup is bright orange shading to gold. Ideal for the rock garden or pots. Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25, 12 for \$4.50.



SILVER CHIMES

# COLLECTION of LITTLE DAFFODILS

Distinct and attractive flowers for the rock garden or a sheltered spot in the border.

THALIA
FEBRUARY GOLD
CANALICULATUS
BULBOCODIUM
CONSPICUUS

5 each (20 bulbs) \$2.75 10 each (72 bulbs) \$5.00



FEBRUARY GOLD

FEBRUARY GOLD. Each year this bright golden flower heralds the new daffodil season for us. In addition to its earliness it is a charming sprightly flower with reflexing petals. The whole flower is bright clear yellow. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

The bulbs I ordered last year were a gorgeous sight in my garden (Dozen Daffodil Collection) and Novelty Collection)

Mrs. C. C., Auburn, Me.

## Conley's DOZEN DAFFODIL COLLECTION

Are you unacquainted with the different types of narcissus-daffodils? Here is an opportunity to obtain twelve varieties in a collection which contains one variety from each of the twelve main classes into which daffodils are divided. By growing them in your own garden you will have an opportunity to know each type's distinctive beauty and fragrance. These are all easily grown, dependable kinds and the combination is priced at a considerable reduction from our already low prices.

During the past years we have filled thousands of orders for Conley's Dozen Daffodil Collection and many customers have written to tell us of the great pleasure they have derived from it. We do not believe that there has been one complaint regarding the bulbs. New varieties have been added this year and the collection is better than ever before.

- 1. KING ALFRED. Large Yellow Trumpet Daffodil.
- 2. MRS. E. H. KRELAGE. Large White Trumpet Daffodil.
- 3. **HELIOS.** Incomparabilis, all yellow.
- 4. JOHN EVELYN. Incomparabilis, white and yellow.
- 5. BATH'S FLAME. Barrii, yellow cup edged orange-scarlet.
- 6. DIANA KASNER. Barrii, white, yellow cup edged red.
- 7. SILVER STAR. Large Cup Leedsii, creamy-white.
- 8. HERA. Pure white Small Cup Leedsii.
- 9. GOLDEN SCEPTRE. Golden yellow Jonquil hybrid.
- 10. ELVIRA. Poetaz, cluster-flowering, white, yellow cup edged orange.
- 11. ACTAEA. Poeticus, pure white with red cup.
- 12. THE PEARL. Creamy white double.

3 each ( 36 bulbs) \$ 5.00 6 each ( 72 bulbs) \$ 9.80 12 each ( 144 bulbs) \$ 19.35 25 each ( 300 bulbs) \$ 37.25 100 each (1200 bulbs) \$143.50

## The Poet's Narcissus -- POETICUS

**Division 9**—The true poet's narcissus. The perianth is pure waxy white. The small cup or eye is yellow bordered red or is all red.

These varieties like a deep moist soil and will tolerate considerable shade. Plant as early in the fall as possible and do not reset except when necessary to avoid crowding.

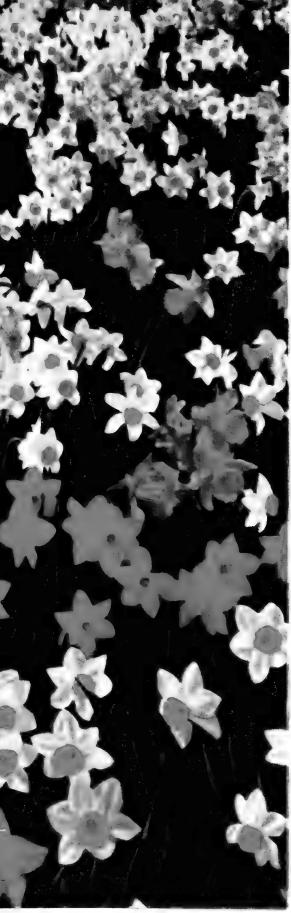
ACTAEA. Frequently called the largest Poeticus variety. It is indeed a beautiful flower with its broad pure white perianth of heavy substance and flat eye of yellow brightly bordered with dark red. With its large flowers and tall stems it makes a very beautiful cut flower. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.00.

GLORY OF LISSE. Like the old fashioned Poeticus Ornatus but stronger growing and better. The perianth is, of course, purest white. The small cup is yellow brightly edged with red. True poet's narcissus fragrance. An excellent variety for naturalizing. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

RECURVUS. The old-fashioned Pheasant's Eye. A fine old narcissus that blooms at the end of the season. The white petals reflex from the yellow cup which is bordered with bright orange-red. One of the finest for naturalizing. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.



ACTAEA



## HYACINTHS For Beauty and Fragrance

For lovely soft coloring and alluring fragrance the hyacinths stand in a class apart from all other bulbs. Added to these qualities is the fact of earliness of flowering. The varieties and bulbs that we offer are chosen with much care. We do not believe that you can find better hyacinths. Our exhibition size bulbs (19 cms and up) are the finest grade obtainable. They produce one huge spike and one or more additional spikes that come a little later. The bedding size (15 to 16 cms) is an excellent grade for beds or borders as the spikes are better able to withstand the hardships of the spring weather. Hyacinths force easily and both sizes of bulbs may be used for this purpose.

#### WHITE

ARENTINE ARENDSEN (Albatross). Early. Long spikes of large glistening snowywhite florets of unusually heavy texture.

L'INNOCENCE. This is still one of the most satisfactory pure white hyacinths for all purposes. The bells are large and well placed on the strong stem.

QUEEN OF THE WHITES. Pure white, strong spike, large bells.

#### PINK AND RED

JAN BOS. Bright carmine-red tinted scarlet with lighter center. Early.

LADY DERBY. Large, light rose-pink ordinarily not so dark as the picture.

LA VICTOIRE. Bright deep carmine-rose. A very early variety of striking color. It forces easily either in water or soil.

PRINCESS MARGARET. Large perfectly formed truss with distinctive open bells of clear soft pink. A little deeper in color than Lady Derby.

QUEEN OF THE PINKS. Compact spikes of deep rose-pink. Late blooming.

#### BLUE

GRAND MAITRE. The standard medium blue Hyacinth. Large strong spikes of deep lavender blue. Excellent for bedding or forcing.

INDIGO KING. Quite the darkest of the list. Deep violet-purple florets on a stem that stands up well. Spicy fragrance.

MYOSOTIS. A soft but distinct forget-me-not blue of breath taking loveliness. Tall spike with large bells. Excellent with Lady Derby and a white daffodil.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Beautiful light azure-blue. Large spike.

KING OF THE LILACS. Fine well filled spikes of true lilac color. An attractive and distinct shade. Exquisite when grown under glass.

#### YELLOW

CITY OF HAARLEM. The standard yellow Hyacinth. Tall stems bearing large well-filled trusses that open deep yellow, later turning pale yellow.

**DAYLIGHT.** A new variety of pinkish orange vellow with lighter center.

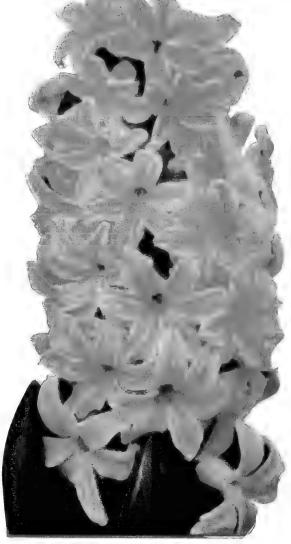
#### Prices of the above separate varieties:

Exhibition Size (19 cms and up)	Bedding Size (15 to 16 cms)
<b>Each 45c,</b> 3 (one variety)\$ 1.25	<b>Each 25c, 3</b> (one variety)
<b>12</b> (one or two varieties)	<b>12</b> (one or two varieties)
<b>100</b> (not more than 4 varieties) <b>\$33.75</b>	<b>100</b> (not more than 4 varieties) <b>\$18.00</b>

#### HYACINTH COLLECTION

The Fifteen Glorious	Hyacinths	Listed Abo	ove
EXHIBITION SIZE	•	BEDDING	

EXTENDITION OF	_	DEDDING SILL
l each (15 bulbs)	\$ 6.40	<b>3 each</b> ( 45 bulbs) <b>\$10.00</b>
3 each (45 bulbs)	\$17.80	5 each (75 bulbs)\$15.00
5 each (75 bulbs)	\$28.10	10 each (150 bulbs)\$28.50



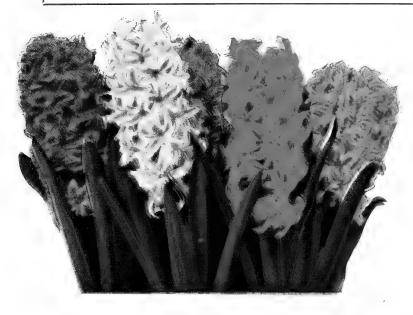
LADY DERBY

## CONLEY'S MIXED HYACINTHS

A beautiful mixture containing all the colors listed above. The same high quality bulbs but not separately named.

EXHIBITION SIZE (19cms and up): 3 for \$1.20, 12 for \$4.35, 100 for \$32.65.

BEDDING SIZE: 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.35, 100 for \$17.50.



## DOUBLE HYACINTHS

This in an intriguing type of hyacinth, only rarely offered for sale. The florets have a multiplicity of petals that give them the appearance of little pointed camellias. The bells are rather widely spaced giving the spikes a graceful

CHESTNUTFLOWER. The best pink. Large bells of clear rosepink on a tall stem. Very beautiful. Prices same as for single hyacinths.

GARRICK. Bright wedgwood blue. The best of the double blues. Prices same as for single hyacinths.

BEN NEVIS. New. The best double white. Very large truss loosely set with exquisite large florets. Bedding size: Each 30c, 3 for 80c, 12 for \$3.00. Exhibition size: Each 60c, 3 for \$1.65, 12 for \$6.00.

## **COLLECTION OF DOUBLE HYACINTHS**

We feel confident that you will be delighted with this little group.

3 each (9 bulbs): Exhibition size \$ 3.95, Bedding size \$2.10. 5 each (15 bulbs): Exhibition size \$ 6.30, Bedding size \$3.30. 10 each (30 bulbs): Exhibition size \$11.90, Bedding size \$6.20.



RED EMPEROR

RED EMPEROR (Madame Lefebre). Fosteriana Hybrid. This tulip attracts more attention than any other. The flowers are extremely large and vividly colored—flaming scarlet with black base marked with yellow. It flowers early in the spring before even the Single Early Tulips are fully developed. When a group of the huge blossoms open in the early spring sun it is a sight of such brilliance as is rarely seen in gardens. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.



KAUFMANNIANA

## TULIPS . . .

# Species for Permanence These wild species and hybrids are outstandingly beautiful and unusual. They exhibit

These wild species and hybrids are outstandingly beautiful and unusual. They exhibit an immense diversity of form, from little jewels such as Linifolia to the great brilliant Praestans Pamir.

Unlike the garden tulips which should be lifted annually, these species may be left in the ground for years.

**CLUSIANA** (The Lady Tulip). A charming slender plant with pointed blossoms on stems about 12 inches high. The outer petals are cherry red, the inner ones are white. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**CORNUTA STENOPETALA** (Acuminata, Sinensis). A remarkable flower with extremely narrow long petals that taper upwards to a sharp point. Entirely different from any other species. The color is yellow, brightly marked with red. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.** 

**CHRYSANTHA.** In the sun these lovely little flowers open out flat, forming discs of pure gold. The outer petals are often shaded coppery red. Charming for the rock garden. **3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.35.** 

**DASYSTEMON.** A captivating little plant about six inches high with canary-yellow flowers bordered with white. There are from three to five little blossoms on a stem and when fully opened in sunny weather they produce a delightful effect. **3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.** 

**EICHLERI.** Large flowers of brilliant crimson-scarlet with a glistening black center marked gold. Attractively pointed petals that open wide in the sun. The foliage is silvery green. Very effective in the rock garden or border. A dependable species that is easily grown. **3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.35.** 

**KAUFMANNIANA** (The Waterlily Tulip). An especially desirable variety because it is not only the earliest of all tulips but is also a cheerful attractive flower. The petals are creamy-white more or less marked with carmine on the outside. Height 8 inches. **3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.** 

**KAUFMANNIANA ELLIOTT.** More highly colored and larger than the type. The creamy flowers are richly shaded red on the outside. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.** 

**KAUFMANNIANA BRILLIANT.** Brilliant red flowers that open wide in those few sunny days of early spring. A group of these in a planting of the regular type would be very striking. **3 for \$1.25, 12 for \$4.50.** 

LINIFOLIA. Small bowls of brilliant scarlet centered dark violet. Very dwarf plant with narrow leaves. 3 for 75c, 12 for \$2.70.

MARJOLETTI. A charming little flower of primrose-yellow, flamed scarlet. A slender growing species, about 14 inches high, that is a very attractive flower for cutting. Late. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

PRAESTANS PAMIR. Large flaming vermilion-scarlet flowers—several of them on a stem. Tall and large and altogether very showy and distinct. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.90.

TURKESTANICA. Each stem carries four to six small white blossoms shaded yellow inside. One of the first to bloom. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

#### COLLECTION

of

#### **TULIP SPECIES**

The 12 superb species described above and the spectacular Fosteriana Hybrid Red Emperor—a beautiful and intriguing group.

**3** each (39 bulbs)

\$6.15

**12 each** (156 bulbs)

\$22.30



CLUSIANA

## LILY FLOWERED TULIPS

These tulips have an air of lightness and grace that sets them quite apart from the more solid cup-shaped varieties. Especially charming as cutflowers and also beautiful to look upon in the garden. The amount of recurving of the petals varies with the different varieties but all have a certain lily-like form.

**ALASKA.** A particularly pleasing glistening buttercup yellow tulip with pointed petals that reflex in a most attractive manner. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.** 

**BEVERLY.** Large flowers of orange-red flamed orange on strong stems. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.** 

**CAPTAIN FRYATT.** Sparkling ruby-red with blue center. Quite different in color from any other tulip. A most attractive variety with strongly reflexing petals. **3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80.** 

MARCELLINA. Cerise-pink with lighter edges—not ordinarily as dark in color as shown in the picture. When open it shows the white center with yellow stamens. A beautiful flower at all stages and one of the most delightful tulips for cutting. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

MARTHA. A splendid variety with clear cerise-red blossoms having a white center edged blue. Strong 26-inch stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

PICOTEE. This is one of the most beloved of tulips. The young flowers are



outlined in pink as shown in the illustration. As the days pass this color gradually suffuses the whole flower. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.** 

WHITE CROSS. The finest white lily-flowering tulip available. Large glistening white petals of which the outer three are gracefully reflexed while the inner three remain erect. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

YELLOW MARVEL (Jaune a Merveille). Large much reflexed flowers of bright golden yellow. The tall stems are very strong. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

## COLLECTION OF EIGHT GRACEFUL LILY FLOWERED TULIPS

3 each (24 bulbs) \$ 3.20 6 each (48 bulbs) \$ 6.00 12 each (96 bulbs) \$11.65

## KEIZERSKROON

## SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

The Single Early Tulips produce a great display of bright gay coloring in the early spring when bright color is needed to drive away the duliness of winter. Plant in a warm sunny location for earliest blooms. Their large flowers and short strong stems make this type especially suited to beds and borders. These are the best tulips for forcing.

GENERAL DE WET (Fireglow). This is a great tulip. The extra large flowers are rich golden orange flushed and stippled with bright scarlet. This shading is intensified as the flower grows older. 15 inches. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70.

**KEIZERSKROON.** One of the old favorites and still one of the showiest. Very large flowers of crimsonscarlet with a wide border of bright yellow. 16 inches. **3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70.** 

**PELICAN.** A splendid pure white of such good substance that it lasts unusually well both in the garden or when cut. And when cut it is beautiful for arrangements. 13 inches. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.65.

PINK BEAUTY. Another mighty good tulip. The unusually large flowers of bright cherry-rose have a white center and white flush on the middle of the petals. Fine for bedding and late forcing. 14 inches. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70.

PRINCE CARNIVAL. A cheerful new tulip that has the same combination of colors as Keizerskroon but brighter. The red area instead of being smoothly bordered with yellow is flamed and striped in an irregular manner. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70.



MARCELLINA



PICOTEE

## COLLECTION SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

For a colorful display in the early spring plant this collection of the five splendid varieties listed at left.

5 each (25 bulbs) \$3.70 12 each (60 bulbs) \$8.00

In collections we reserve the right to substitute a similar variety of equal or greater value if a variety is sold out.

MIXED EARLY TULIPS. A colorful mixture made up from the above varieties and many others. 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.



Resplendent
PARROT TULIPS

Of all the tulips these new Parrots are the most spectacular. The immense flowers are lacerated, ruffled and encrusted in many diverse manners. The old type of Parrot Tulips had weak stems but these new varieties, being sports of the Darwin type

varieties, being sports of the Darwin type tulips, have strong tall stems that hold the huge blossoms well erect. Like their parents, the Darwins, these tulips are vigorous growers and are easily grown. The list below has been carefully chosen to represent the best varieties available in a good range of colors.

**DISCOVERY.** Beautiful flowers of bright rose tinged lilac shaded with silvery-white at the margin. Derived from Darwin Princess Elizabeth it has the same strong tall stem and vigorous growth. **3 for \$1.20**, **12 for \$4.00**.

BLUE PARROT. Certainly this is one of the finest of all tulips. The color cut represents the color and form unusually well. It is derived from Darwin Bleu Aimable and has the strong stem and firm substance of the parent. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**FANTASY.** This was the first of these new giant Parrot Tulips and is still one of the best. It is a sport of the ever-popular Clara Butt and the huge flowers have the same beautiful salmon-pink coloring accentuated by scarlet shadings and marked with green encrustations. The inside of the cup shows bright geranium red with a white base. **3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.** 

**ORANGE FAVORITE.** Beautiful glowing orange with green incrustations and yellow base. Very fragrant. Strong medium height stems. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.** 

**RED CHAMPION.** The picture here gives a good idea of the fiery red color and the much lacerated form of this beautiful Parrot but does not show its great size. When the blossoms open widely in the warm sun they are as much as 10 inches across. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$1.90.** 

**SUNSHINE.** Pure self golden yellow flowers with some green markings deeply cut and lacerated. They are held quite erect by strong stems of medium height. Do not expect giant bulbs of this variety. The large flowers come from a rather small bulbs. **3 for 75c, 12 for \$2.75.** 

**THERESE.** Huge cherry-scarlet flowers with green markings, that often attain a diameter of 8 inches. The inside of the flower is vivid cerise-scarlet. An extra fine variety sported from Farncombe Sanders. **3** for 60c, 12 for \$2.20, 100 for \$16.50.

**VIOLET QUEEN (Opal Queen).** A charming soft lavender-violet tulip with a distinct feathery appearance. The color increases and the flower becomes more beautiful as it ages. Considerable lighter in color than Blue Parrot. Late flowering. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.** 

### COLLECTION OF PARROT TULIPS

Gay and attractive flowers that would be the center of attraction in your garden or would make striking flower arrangements. The above eight varieties—the best of the Parrot Tulips.

3 each (24 bulbs) \$4.50
6 each (48 bulbs) \$8.50
10 each (800 bulbs) \$123.00



**RED CHA** 

# Mayflowering DOUBLE TULIPS

This is a rather new group of large peony-flowered tulips that bloom after the Early Doubles, at the time of the earlier Darwins. Because of their large size they are very effective for planting in beds or borders. Th medium tall stems are strong enough to hold the massive blossoms

COXA. A big bright flower of splendid quality. The numerous petals are vermilion red edged with a small white border. Height 22 in. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

> **EPICURE.** Rich old gold with shadings of brown and orange. The large flowers have an unusually large number of petals. 20 inches. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

**EROS.** Of all the tulips we grew this year few made as distinct an impression as this variety. The color is delightful old rose, shading silvery-rose toward the edges. When open the flower is six inches or more across and shows a soft yellow center. 20 inches. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

LIVINGSTON. One of the brightest and showiest of the doubles is this carmine-red variety. When it opens widely it shows a yellow center. Height 18 inches. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60.

and with our customers. It has much the appearance of a big double white peony. Strong 24-inch stems. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60. **UNCLE TOM.** The large flowers are dark glossy red that glisten in the sunshine. Effective for contrast with the lighter varieties.

## COLLECTION OF DOUBLE MAYFLOWERING TULIPS

-the best kinds on the market. 5 each (30 bulbs) \$3.90

**FANTASY** 



Early long-lasting flowers that bloom at the same time as the Single Early Tulips, many days before the May-flowering types are showing color. Because of their large size and bright colors they are very effective for beds and borders. They are easily forced and look especially well in pots.

BOULE DE NEIGE (Purity). Very attractive pure white peony-like flowers. Large and fully double. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

DANTE. Brilliant scarlet. A new variety of very high quality—the best of the bright red Double Early Tulips. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70, 100 for \$12.70.

MARECHAL NIEL. Soft yellow tinted salmon similar in color to the Marechal Niel rose. Large and fully double. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**PEACH BLOSSOM.** Rose-pink shaded white on the outside. The base is yellow circled with white. One of the most beautiful of tulips and unexcelled for planting in beds or pots. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

MIXED DOUBLE EARLIES. A well balanced mixture of all the different colors. 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

## COLLECTIONS OF DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

The four excellent varieties, described above, chosen to give you the best in the different colors.

6 each (24 bulbs) \$3.00

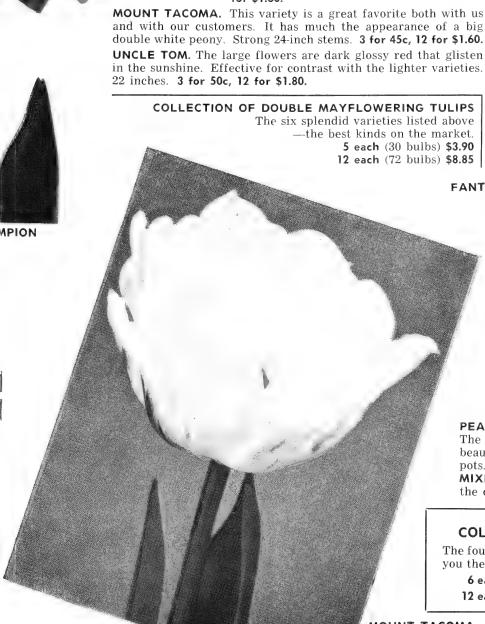
25 each (100 bulbs) \$11.50

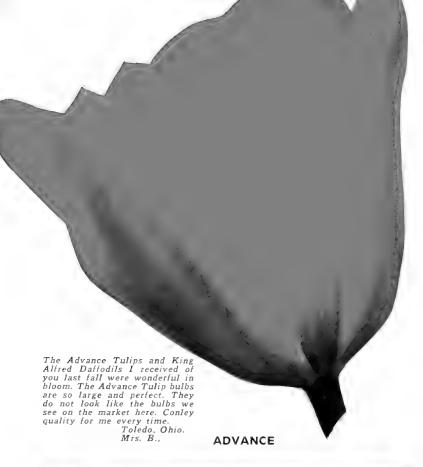
12 each (48 bulbs) \$5.90

100 each (400 bulbs) \$44.00

MOUNT TACOMA







## OUTSTANDING TULIP COLLECTION

We are offering here what we believe are the ten outstanding tulips in the different color groups. Each one is exceptional as to size, color and quality. You can pay much more than we ask for this collection but we feel sure that you cannot obtain anywhere better varieties or better bulbs. We are proud of this offer and feel sure that you will be proud of the display the bulbs will make for you.

- 1. **CHERBOURG** (Breeder). Golden yellow shaded bronze.
- 2. **ECLIPSE** (Darwin). Glowing deep crimson.
- 3. **GEORGE GRAPPE** (Breeder). Lavender-blue with large blue base.
- 4. MARSHAL HAIG (Cottage). Intense scarlet-red.
- 5. MR. VAN ZIJL (Darwin). Clear soft rose-pink.
- 6. MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS (Cottage). Deep golden yellow.
- 7. MOUNT EREBUS (Darwin). Finest pure white.
- 8. **NIPHETOS** (Darwin). Soft creamy yellow.
- 9. PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG (Darwin). Bright rose pink.
- 10. **QUEEN OF THE NIGHT** (Darwin). Dark purple maroon.

5 each ( 50 bulbs) \$ 6.40 10 each ( 100 bulbs) \$ 12.35 25 each ( 250 bulbs) \$ 28.50 100 each (1.000 bulbs) \$110.00

## VIVID CONTRASTS

## RED AND ORANGE COTTAGE

ADVANCE (Hybrid Tulip). An extraordinary tulip and now priced so low that every gardener can plant it in quantity. Large size—larger than any Darwin, early—almost as early as the Single Earlies, tall strong stems that hold the giant flowers well erect, beautiful color, fiery scarlet inside, outside shaded with rose—what more could one ask of any tulip? 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

BERANGER. The outside of the long petals is orange with russet shadings, the inside of the deep cup is orange-scarlet. An attractive variety of recent introduction. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**GRENADIER.** One of the most brilliant of tulips with very large flowers of dazzling orange-scarlet. It is especially adapted to bedding as the stems are not too tall. Lasts much better in partial shade. 20 inches. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.30, 100 for \$9.75.

**HENRI CORREVON.** We consider this one of the finest of the red tulips. It has a beautifully clean bright color usually described as geranium red. The large base is pure white with ivory anthers. The blossoms are unusually large on good 26-inch stems. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.** 

MAJESTIC. A group of this spectacular new tulip was the center of attraction in our plantings this year. There is no tulip much brighter than this scarlet giant when the sun causes the pointed petals to open and show the large black base. Tall strong stems. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$4.00.

MARSHAL HAIG. A magnificent tulip—of all the scarlet-red tulips certainly one of the very best. The color is clear and bright with an iridescent lustre. The pronounced base is golden yellow. The stems are tall and support the flowers in a stately manner. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

PRESIDENT HOOVER. One of the latest tulips—an excellent sort for planting to prolong the tulip season. The large elongated flowers are orange-red with yellow base. The stems are very tall. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

#### MIXED COTTAGE TULIPS

This mixture of Cottage tulips is especially bright and cheerful. It contains a large number of splendid varieties mostly in shades of red, pink, yellow and white. The flowers are graceful and attractive and especially desirable for cutting. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$9.35. Large first size (11-12 cms), 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.



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## IN RED AND WHITE

#### **RED DARWINS**

**CHARLES NEEDHAM.** Certainly this is one of the finest of all the red tulips. The color is enchanting—clear intense vermilion. Large cup-shaped flowers on strong stems of jade green. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

**CITY OF HAARLEM.** A fine reliable cardinal red tulip. Large cup-shaped flowers with blue base and white ring. Strong stem and good substance. Beautiful when carpeted with white violas or arabis. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**ECLIPSE.** We consider this the best of the deep red tulips and one of the finest in any color. Very large flowers of glowing deep crimson that last unusually well. A tall, strong growing tulip. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

**FARNCOMBE SANDERS.** This old variety is still a great favorite. Large flower of perfect shape colored bright rose-scarlet with white base. It is splendid for mass effects against evergreens. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.** 

GLORIA SWANSON. A huge cup-shaped flower on an exceptionally tall strong stem. The color is rich crimson red with blue base. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

MARGAUX. An exhibition variety that produces very large oval-shaped flowers distinct in color from any other tulip—deep wine red, shaded light wine-red at the edges. 30-inch stems. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM. The demand for this old variety continues strong in spite of the introduction of dozens of new red tulips. The flowers are larger than most and the stems unusually tall. The color is rosy-carmine. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

**SCARLET LEADER.** One of the most desirable of the bright scarlet Darwins. A flower of large size that attracts immediate attention. It would be especially gay and bright if planted with one of our superb white Darwins. **3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

#### WHITE DARWINS

**ANNIE SPEELMAN.** A new white tulip of transcendent beauty. The blossoms are oval shaped and do not open too widely in the warmth. Even the base and anthers are white. The straight strong stem is 30 inches high. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.70.

GLACIER (Wildlust). Exceptionally large pure white tulip—the base and anthers are white. The oval shaped flowers last unusually well. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80, 100 for \$13.50.

MOUNT EREBUS. We tried a lot of white tulips this year and in our opinion this is the best of all. The flowers are very large—as much as four inches long—and the stems unusually tall and strong. Cream anthers. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

MRS. GRULLEMANS. A lovely pure white tulip with white center and sulphur anthers. Strong stem of medium height. The flowers have exceptional keeping quality. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60.

WHITE GIANT. A giant pure white tulip with dark purple anthers. The flowers are cup-shaped of heavy substance, the stems are tall and strong and it would be a splendid variety to plant with one of the bright red Darwins. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**ZWANENBURG.** One of the older varieties but still one of the most satisfactory. It is early flowering, large and tall. Black anthers. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.** 

#### **ZWANENBURG**



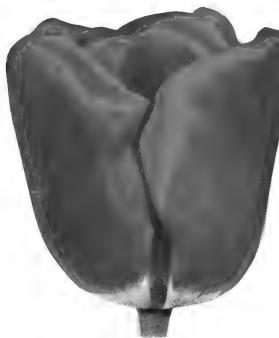


#### WHITE COTTAGE TULIPS

ALBINO. A splendid pure white tulip of great size. Exquisite for planting in clumps in the perennial border. It flowers very early and because of the heavy substantial flower stays in bloom a long time. Unusually strong medium height stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.45, 100 for \$10.85

CARRARA. Beautifully rounded blossoms of the purest white on stems that are not too stiff. One of the most graceful of tulips and very popular with gardeners everywhere. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

WHITE SAIL (Mendel Tulip). Because of its time of flowering this variety might well be placed with the Single Early Tulips as it is very early. It is one of the best and easiest tulips to grow in pots. The buds are decidedly yellowish but the flower becomes pure white as it matures. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.



CITY OF HAARLEM

## MIXED DARWIN TULIPS

An excellent mixture made from a great many varieties in a wide range of blending colors — red, pink, lavender, white, yellow, etc. Very desirable where plantings of tall stemmed, bright colored flowers are wanted. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$9.35. First size bulbs, about 4½ inches around, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

I want to tell you how proud I was last spring when my (rather your) bulbs were blooming. As a gardener I'm a rank amateur, but my flowers outshone many of those of veteran gardeners here. So it must be the quality of your bulbs.

N. B., Juneau, Alaska.

## COLLECTION OF COTTAGE TULIPS

Seven of the choicest Cottage Tulips. Prize winners of exhibition quality. Attractive bright colors and beautifully formed blossoms for the gar-

- 1. BELLE JAUNE. Deepest yellow.
- 2. BERANGER. Orange, shaded scarlet.
- 3. CARRARA. Exquisite white, rounded
- 4. GOLDEN HARVEST. Large lemonvellow.
- HENRI CORREVON. No clearer red.
- MARJORIE BOWEN. Rose-pink and
- 7. One Variety Free! A variety of which we both can be proud, taken from our extensive list of beautiful Cottage

5 each ( 35 bulbs) \$ 3.75

12 each (84 bulbs) \$ 8.50

25 each (175 bulbs) \$16.50





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## PINK SHADES AND BLENDS

BARBARA PRATT. The beautiful cherry-pink blossoms are lighted up by the effect of the large yellow base. An attractively formed flower with slightly reflexing petals. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.

DIDO. A very popular two-toned tulip. Large elongated blossoms. The outside is orange-rose shaded yellow toward the edges. The inside bright salmon-orange with yellow base. Tall, vigorous. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

INGLESCOMBE PINK. Soft rosy pink flushed salmon, changing to rose pink when fully developed. This is one of the older kinds and not as choice as some of the newer varieties. It is, however, a pretty flower and especially good for cutting. The bulbs increase rapidly and are very free-flowering. 28 inches. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.30, 100 for \$9.75. First size bulbs (11-12 cms), 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50. Second size bulbs (10-11 cms), 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

MARJORIE BOWEN. A lovely blend of deep rose pink with salmon-orange shading. Inside orange with yellow base. Large rather long flowers on strong 28-inch stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

PICOTEE (Maiden's Blush). See page 15. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

QUEEN OF SPAIN. This delicately colored tulip is quite different from any other variety. It is pale yellow shaded and feathered with rose pink. The pink coloration increases as the flower ages. The flowers have good substance, the stems are slender but strong. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60.

#### **DARWINS**

**ARISTOCRAT.** A fine dark rose tulip shading much lighter at the edges. The large flowers have an elongated form and carry themselves in a most stately manner on tall straight stems. 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.80.

CAROLINE TESTOUT. This is a beautiful pure soft pink with large white base and no other color or shading. It is unquestionably one of the best light pink tulips because not only is the color lovely but the flower is attractively formed and lasts unusually well. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60.

KATHLEEN PARLOW. Exquisite shell pink, silvery at the edges. Large white base. It is large and tall and altogether a splendid variety. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50. LADY HILLINGDON. Quite distinct among the Darwin tulips is this lovely flower of rosy-orange named for the rose it resembles. The base is yellow and this color suffuses and lights up the whole flower. The stems are slender but strong. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60.

MR. VAN ZIJL. This impresses us as being about the finest clear rose pink tulip of them all. The color is a clear and pure rose with beautiful shading of very light pink at the margin. The large cup-shaped flowers have excellent substance. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.

PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. We put this in our collection of "Twelve Outstanding Tulips" because we believe it is the best of the deeper pink tulips and one of the best in any color. The giant flowers are bright rose pink suffused with rose red. The stems are very tall and straight. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

THE PEACH. Large beautiful blossoms of clear rose pink shaded peach red. An early variety that is unusually long lasting. 27 inches. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

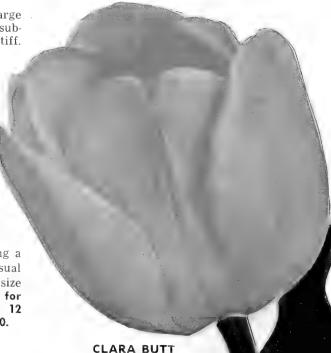
**VENUS.** A noble variety with large cup-shaped flowers of splendid substance. The stem is tall and stiff.

The color is deep silvery rose with white center. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

CLARA BUTT. No other tulip is held in such deep affection by garden lovers the world over as the lovely soft pure pink Clara Butt. It should be in every

garden. The medium size flowers are perfect for cutting. Since this variety is so free

flowering we are listing a size smaller than our usual top-size grade. First size bulbs, 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.00. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.35, 100 for \$10.00.



## LAVENDER AND PURPLE

#### THE LIGHT AND MEDIUM SHADES

GEORGE GRAPPE. Described on page 23. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

**INSURPASSABLE.** A beautiful orchid-lavender tulip with white center. More attractive than the picture—not so pinkish. In addition to the beautiful color this variety has good substance and strong stems and is quite the best tulip in its color class. **3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.65.** 

**KING MAUVE.** A magnificent big tulip of light lavender shaded with deeper lavender. Many experts consider this the best of the light lavender tulips. It would be lovely to plant with a light yellow variety such as Golden Harvest. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

**MADAME BUTTERFLY.** Lovely pale mauve shaded violet, white base and black anthers. A beautifully shaped rather long flower on a strong stiff stem, 30 inches high. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.** 

MRS. H. I. PRATT. This is one of the largest and tallest tulips that we grow and entirely distinct from any other in color. The globular flowers are lilac-mauve with distinct yellow shading at the edges of the petals. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**REV. H. EWBANK.** Another good old-timer. Not as outstanding as some but a good grower and often times the color is very beautiful—all lavender varieties are influenced by the weather more than the other colors. The cup-shaped flowers are of good size and of a deep lavender color shading lighter at the edges. Free flowering and easily grown. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.30, 100 for \$9.75. First size bulbs (11-12 cms), 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

**SCOTCH LASSIE.** Pure deep lavender shaded darker inside with blue base. Darker than any of the varieties above and lighter than those below. Large substantial flowers that last unusually long. **3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.** 

## THE VERY DARK PURPLE AND MAROON SHADES

**FAUST.** A highly recommended variety of dark satiny purple-maroon. Not as dark as La Tulipe Noire but the flowers are much larger. The deep cup-shaped flowers are upheld by very tall stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.45, 100 for \$10.85.

**JUBILEE.** Among the medium dark blue-purple tulips this is certainly one of the very best. The very large blossoms have rich glistening color and firm texture. Height 28 inches. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

LA TULIPE NOIRE. The original and famous "Black Tulip". It is a very dark maroon-black with a velvety sheen. Unusually strong stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

**QUEEN OF THE NIGHT.** A new variety that is one of the darkest tulips yet introduced. Many say it is the darkest tulip. It has a very large oval flower of extremely dark purple-maroon with velvety sheen. The foliage has a distinct bluish tone. Height 30 inches. **3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.85, 100 for \$13.85.** 

**THE BISHOP.** Magnificent large flowers of deep violet-blue—bright, clear. A choice variety that would be delightful flowering above a carpet of yellow pansies

or primroses. If combined with the dark yellow tulip Golden Age the effect would be impressive. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

## **COLLECTION OF DARWIN TULIPS**

Nine giant Darwins chosen for quality and beauty in the different color classes. Large cup-shaped flowers of heavy substance on tall, strong stems.

- ARISTOCRAT. Dark rose shaded lighter.
- 2. CAROLINE TESTOUT. Soft pure pink.
- 3. CHARLES NEEDHAM. Clear intense vermilion.
- GLORIA SWANSON. Deep carmine, blue base.
- GOLDEN AGE. Dark yellow shaded orange.
- 6. JUBILEE. Glistening blue-purple.
- MRS. H. I. PRATT. Lilac mauve with yellow shadings.
- 8. **WHITE GIANT.** Pure white, purple anthers.
- FREE! One variety, of our selection, from our stock of the choice and rare.

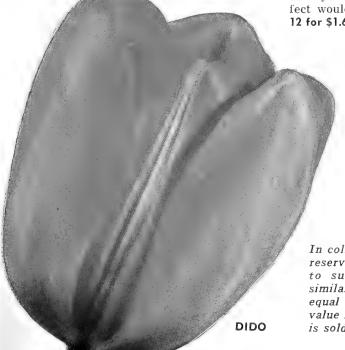
3 ea. (27 bulbs) \$3.35; 6 ea. (54 bulbs) \$6.35

12 each (108 bulbs) \$12.00

**25 each** (225 bulbs) **\$23.50** 



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## Lustrous YELLOW TULIPS

#### COTTAGE

ALASKA. Described on page 15. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40.

AVIS KENNICOTT. Bright chrome yellow flowers with sharply contrasting black base. Long pointed petals-very attractive form. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

BELLE JAUNE. Very large elongated flowers of rich Indian vellow—the deepest yellow of these Cottage tulips. It is a splendid variety with tall stems and good foliage. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

GOLDEN HARVEST. The cup-shaped blossoms are unusually large, the stems tall and strong and the whole plant shows unusual vigor. The color is bright clear lemon-yellow. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW. Often called the "Yellow Darwin" as it has the true Darwin shape. Large size flowers of glossy canary-yellow on good stems of medium length. Flowers splendidly from smaller size bulbs. First size bulbs, 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.35, 100 for \$10.00.

JEANNE DESOR. A cheerful appearing tulip that opens near the end of the season when many of the others are fading. The deep yellow flowers are bordered with bright red along the upper edges of the tall petals. Unusually tall strong stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS. This is our choice as the best golden yellow tulip. The color is superb—clear bright gold. The flowers are very large and have a beautiful elongated form. The whole plant shows great vigor with tall sturdy stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

#### DARWINS

GOLDEN AGE. The beautiful deep golden yellow flowers are shaded at the borders of the petals with bright golden orange, giving a two-toned effect. The blossoms are large and perfectly formed. The stems are medium tall and stiff. In all respects it is one of the best dark yellow tulips. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

HELEN GAHAGEN. A lovely, very light yellow tulip that becomes creamywhite when fully developed. The flowers have an attractive elongated form and are large, tall and good in all respects. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.

NIPHETOS. We think that this is one of the most beautiful tulips that we grow. The color is soft primrose yellow turning to pale ivory yellow when fully developed. The large blossoms are attractively formed—rather long. the outer petals somewhat recurved. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

SUNKIST. Dark rich gold unmarked by any other color. Long lasting flowers of beautiful shape on strong stems of medium height. One of our special favorites this year. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

YELLOW GIANT. Large cup-shaped flowers of rich golden yellow, sometimes tinted bronze at the tip of the petals. Unusually tall stems. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

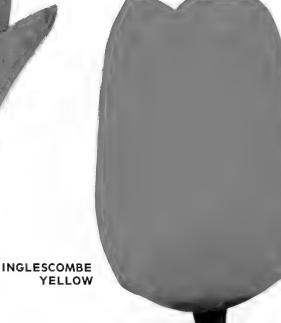


**BRONZE QUEEN** 



I've enjoyed the wonderful blossoms you've already supplied me. I think your bulbs are bargains indeed.

Mrs. H. A. C., Corvallis, Oregon.



## The Noble BREEDER TULIPS

These magnificent tulips with their rich shadings and blends do not fall easily into color classifications of the other types so we are placing them here in a separate group. In height, size of flower, time of blooming, etc., they may be grouped with the Darwin Tulips. Many of the Breeder Tulips are rather dull and somber but the varieties below are rich and lustrous.

BRONZE QUEEN. A beautiful light bronze tulip of largest size and very tall stem. The inside of the huge cup is golden bronze, the outside is the same color with a slight tinge of violet. We have an especially good stock of this tulip. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.

CHERBOURG. A very imposing tulip of Brobdingnagian proportions. The base color is deep golden yellow overlaid with terra cotta, the yellow being most pronounced at the edges of the petals. Height 32 inches. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

GEORGE GRAPPE. Not of the bronze or blended color type but pure soft lavender-blue throughout except for the brilliant steel blue base. One of the largest and tallest tulips in our plantings. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

INDIAN CHIEF. The illustration does not do justice to this handsome tulip. The color is unique—Indian brown with a slight tint of purple flushed coppery-brown. It has a glistening metallic sheen. The huge flaring cup is carried on a strong 38-inch stem. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

LOUIS XIV. This variety well deserves its great popularity. Large rich appearing flowers of dark blue-violet with margin of golden bronze. 34 inches. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

SONATE. For years we have treasured our stock of this variety and have kept it for our own enjoyment but this year we have sufficient stock to offer it in our catalog. It is a beautiful variety. The color is bright salmon-orange shading to yellow at the edges and flushed carmine inside. Of course the flower and stem are large and strong. 3 for 45c, 12 for \$1.60, 100 for \$12.00.

MIXED BREEDER TULIPS. The Breeder tulips with their rich colorings blend together to make an unusually fine mixture. The varieties above and many others are included. Top size bulbs, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50. First size bulbs (11-12 cms), 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$9.35.



The seven wonderful named varieties listed above plus one additional variety free. This variety will be selected by us from the many choice varieties of which we do not have stocks sufficient to list in the catalog.

3 each (24 bulbs) for \$3.00

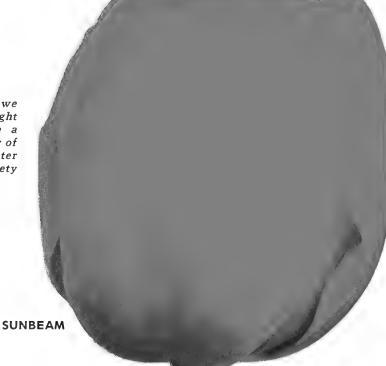
12 each (96 bulbs) for \$10.50

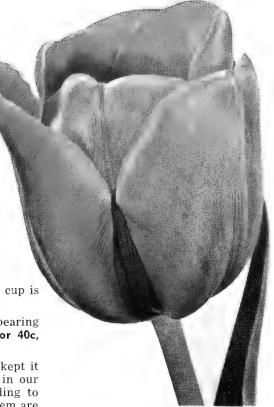
6 each (48 bulbs) for \$5.50 25 each (200 bulbs) for \$20.00





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LOUIS XIV



The Tulip bulbs I ordered of you last year were grand, in fact the talk of the town.

Dr. A. M. B..

Waunakee, Wis.

I had splendid results this year with the fall planting bulbs you sent me for forcing in my hobby greenhouse.

J. G. Vernonia, Oregon

#### **DUTCH IRIS**

## THE DUTCH IRIS

The popularity of the bulbous iris (Dutch, Spanish and English) increases each year as more people learn of the great beauty and ease of culture of these bulbs. Because of their beautiful, harmonious colors and long lasting qualities they are unexcelled among the bulb flowers for either garden or cut flowers. By proper choice of varieties one can spread the blooming period over two months or more. The season starts with Wedgwood during the Darwin Tulip season and ends with the English Iris in June.

**A. BLOEMAARD.** One of the earliest of the Dutch Irises. Large flower with dark purplish blue standards, deep blue falls with narrow orange stripe. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

**BLUE HORIZON (S. de Vlieger).** Very beautiful light blue iris of large size. Good stem and foliage. The very broad and strong falls are soft sky blue. **12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00**.

**CAJANUS** (Spanish Iris). A splendid tall graceful canary yellow iris—one of the most beautiful of all yellow irises. Later flowering than the Dutch Iris. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

**D. HARING (White Glory).** A splendid tall vigorous white iris. The large flowers are pure white except for the narrow yellow mark on the falls and a faint tinge of layender in the standards when it first opens. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

## THREE SUPERIOR IRIS

Collection 1-2 White Superior H. C. Van Vliet Golden Harvest

Three varieties, definitely superior to older sorts. Now very reasonably priced.

12 each (36) \$3.00 25 each (75) \$6.00

**GOLDEN HARVEST.** A magnificent new variety. Tall and strong growing. Large flowers with dark yellow falls shaded orange at the midrib, lighter yellow standards and interior. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

**H. C. VAN VLIET.** A beautiful medium blue iris somewhat darker than Blue Horizon. Tall and strong growing. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

**HUCHTENBURG.** A tall growing iris of large size and attractive coloring. The falls are deep yellow and the uprights are very pale blue passing to white. **12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.** 

**IMPERATOR** (Filifolia). Later blooming than the true Dutch Irises, connecting them with the Spanish. Deep blue standards and falls. Large, free flowering and a vigorous grower. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.25.

INDIAN CHIEF (W. Verschuur). An interesting and attractive novelty providing an unusual shade in the Dutch Irises. The falls are yellowish bronze, standards light violet shaded bronze. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

THERESE VAN DUYLL SCHWARTZE. A tall and graceful iris that makes an especially attractive cut flower. The standards are pale cornflower blue, falls pure white with narrow orange stripe. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

VIOLET QUEEN (W. Zuiderveld). The coloring of this iris is quite unique and difficult to describe—perhaps light violet-lilac gives some idea of the unusual shade. A large strong growing variety. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

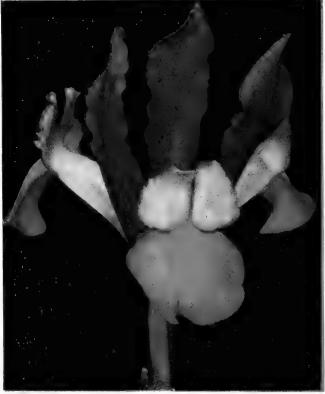
**WEDGWOOD** (Tingitana Hybrid). A very early type, flowering fully two weeks before the regular Dutch Iris. The flowers are light wedgwood blue and are large in size and carried on strong stems. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

WHITE EXCELSIOR. Large pure white flowers of very good form and substance. Medium height. Early. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

WHITE SUPERIOR. A superb variety, the best of the medium priced white iris. Very large and tall. The flowers are pure white marked with a sulphur yellow stripe. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

**YELLOW QUEEN.** Clear golden yellow flowers of medium size on tall slender stems. Very free flowering. Much used as a cut flower. **12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.25.** 

MIXED DUTCH IRIS. An excellent mixture made up from our named varieties in a wide range of colors. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.



DUTCH IRIS

## SPECIAL COLLECTION OF DUTCH IRIS

#### Collection I-1

Four splendid distinct varieties are used to make up this collection—one each of dark blue, light blue, yellow and white. Large strong bulbs are chosen and each kind marked with a variety name. This is a good collection, especially recommended for those who have not tried Dutch Iris before.

> 8 each, 4 varieties ( 32 bulbs) \$ 2.00 12 each, 4 varieties ( 48 bulbs) \$ 3.00

25 each, 4 varieties (100 bulbs) \$ 5.85 100 each, 4 varieties (400 bulbs) \$22.50

My English Iris bloomed this spring and were beautiful. I have been told they wouldn't bloom here so I was delighted to find that they would.

Mrs. I. H., Medicine Lodge, Kansas.

## NEW DUTCH IRIS

During recent years there has been developed some sensational new varieties of Dutch Iris. As compared to the older varieties the flowers are larger, the stems taller and stronger and the colors are more clear and brilliant. We are proud to be able to offer these marvelous introductions and recommend them to you.

**BELLE JAUNE.** Large flowers of deep orange yellow. Much darker than Golden Harvest. **3 for 60c, 12 for \$2.25.** 

**BLUE CHAMPION.** Rich velvety blue not quite as dark as Imperator. Beautifully formed flowers. An early giant. **3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.** 

**BRONZE BEAUTY.** Standards violet blue, falls bronze with orange mark. A large flower of distinct color. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00**.

KING MAUVE. Exceptionally large flower of beautiful orchid lavender. 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.

**LE MOGUL.** Deep bronze standards and olive-bronze lip, almost a self-colored brown-bronze iris. **3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.** 

**LEMON QUEEN.** Beautiful lemon-yellow standards, slightly crenated sulphur-yellow falls. At last a superb large light yellow iris. **3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00.** 

PRINCESS IRENE. A striking novelty with orange-yellow falls and clear white standards. 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00.

WHITE PEARL. Enormous flowers of pure white. An outstanding introduction. 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.

#### COLLECTION OF NEW DUTCH IRIS

The eight outstanding new hybrids listed above, worthy of a place in any garden. 3 each (24 bulbs) for \$5.00, 6 each (48 bulbs) for \$9.50, 12 each (96 bulbs) for \$18.00.

## ENGLISH IRIS

The English Iris are among the most beautiful of all irises. The shades of color are most delightful. They have larger flowers with wider falls than the Dutch Iris and bloom just after that type has finished blossoming. The foliage is deep green, long and slender. Plant in early fall in any good garden soil where they will have a plentiful supply of moisture. Not recommended for Southern California and the Southern States.

**BLEU CELESTE.** Light lavender blue of an especially pleasing shade. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.** 

KING OF THE BLUES. Dark blue-purple. Richly colored. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.

**SUNSET.** An especially lovely iris with large blossoms of delicate lavender-pink, the color of the cattleya orchid. **3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.50.** 

MIXED ENGLISH IRIS. This is a splendid mixture. The bulbs are grown from seeds and the range of color is better than in the usual mixture and the bulbs are more vigorous and healthy. The colors range from white through light blue, orchid and lavender to dark purple and blue. 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$9.25.



ENGLISH IRIS

## Graceful

## BABY GLADIOLUS

#### GLADIOLUS NANUS AND COLVILLEI

A distinct race of gladioli entirely different in appearance and culture from the ordinary garden type. These bulbs must be planted in the fall or early winter—we prefer October and November—and are hardy to about 10 degrees F. In colder climates they can be successfully grown in a cool greenhouse.

This type of gladiolus has a light and graceful appearance. They are attractive garden plants and are much used for corsages and bouquets.

**AMANDA MAY.** Beautiful salmon pink with small violet marks on the lower petals. A splendid new variety. **12 for \$1.10**, **100 for \$8.25**.

**NYMPH.** We consider this the finest of all the varieties. Rather tall growing with long spikes of large white flowers marked with crimson in the throat. 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$11.25.

**PEACH BLOSSOM.** Exquisite soft pink blossoms on graceful spikes of medium height. Free flowering and rapid of increase. 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25.

## IRIS RETICULA

An enchanting dwarf iris that blooms very early in the spring, usually with the crocuses. In shape it closely resembles the Dutch Iris and the blossoms are surprisingly large for so small a plant. The stems are about six inches high. The flowers have a decided violet-like fragrance. We highly recommend this little iris for growing in pots; its early flowering, lovely color and sweet fragrance make it ideal for this purpose.

RETICULATA SPECIES. Rich violet-blue with a bright golden mark on the falls. 3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$9.35.

RETICULATA S. J. DIJT. The flowers are like the above but deep reddish-purple in color. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.40, 100 for \$10.50.



BABY GLADIOLUS

**SPITFIRE.** The hardiest and most vigorous of the baby glads. Splendid spikes of brilliant salmon red. Highly recommended. **12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25.** 

**THE BRIDE (Co!villei).** A distinct slender tall growing sort with lovely pure white flowers. **12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25.** 

## BABY GLADIOLUS COLLECTION

The five beautiful named varieties. A more charming group would be hard to find.

6 each ( 30 bulbs) \$ 2.90

12 each ( 60 bulbs) \$ 5.70

25 each (125 bulbs) \$11.25

MIXED BABY GLADS. An excellent mixture, containing the varieties described and several other beautiful kinds. 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25.

TRITELEIA (Spring Star Flower)



LEUCOJUM (Snowflake)

ERANTHIS HYEMALIS
(Winter Aconite)



## MINIATURE SPRING FLOWERS

## CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow)

One of the loveliest little flowers of the very early spring. Each bulb produces several spikes bearing about a dozen charming little florets. The bulbs are best planted where they are to remain as they increase rapidly and form attractive groups.

**LUCILIAE.** Delightful little flowers of bright blue with white centers. **12 for 50c**, **100 for \$3.50**.

**LUCILIAE ALBA.** The pure white form. Charming. 12 for 65c, 100 for \$4.90.

**LUCILIAE ROSEA.** Beautiful rose pink. A rare form that is a jewel for the rock garden. **12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.60.** 

THREE COLORS OF CHIONODOXA. 12 each (36 bulbs) for \$1.75

#### ERANTHIS HYEMALIS (Winter Aconite)

These cheerful golden flowers appear very early in the spring, usually before the crocuses. The little golden cups, wearing frilled green collars, are on three-inch stems. Plant only two inches deep. They often increase from self-sown seed. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

#### FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

MIXED. The guinea hen flower. Curious little bell-shaped flowers that are variously checkered and mottled with shades of purple on a white or yellowish ground. Plant about six inches deep in full sun or partial shade. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

## GALANTHUS NIVALIS (Single Snowdrop)

The lovely nodding white blossoms with their green tips are usually the first of the early spring flowers. In fact, they often start blooming with us in December. This variety is very hardy and free flowering and when established remains a lifetime. 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.35.



IXIOLIRION

## LEUCOJUM AESTIVUM (Snowflake)

Delightful white flowers with green tips somewhat like the snowdrops but much taller and later flowering. When established they produce numerous spikes bearing three or four florets that are very nice for cutting. The bulb is similar to a small narcissus bulb and the culture is the same as for narcissi. 12 for \$1.20, 100 for \$9.00.

#### **MUSCARI**

**HEAVENLY BLUE.** A splendid variety for mass planting as it increases rapidly. Each bulb produces several spikes of bloom in succession. The color is a bright deep blue. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.75.

**EARLY GIANT.** An extra good variety bearing large spikes of deep cobalt blue. **12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.50.** 

BOTRIODES ALBUS ("Pearls of Spain"). Charming little clusters of pure white pearls. Attractive alone or planted with the blue varieties. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

## TRITELEIA UNIFLORA VIOLACEA

(Spring Star Flower)

Each 3-inch stem bears a single pale blue flower with white center. Delightfully fragrant. Excellent in the rockery or under trees or shrubs. The bulbs increase rapidly and soon carpet the ground. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

## (Siberian Bluebell)

We are pleased to be able to again offer this splendid hardy bulb. In May or June it bears umbels of deep violet-blue flowers on 10-inch stems. The flowers are unusually long lasting. Easily grown in any good soil, preferably in a sunny location. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

GALANTHUS (Snowdrops)



## CROCUSES

## CROCUS SPECIES FOR EARLIEST FLOWERS

These cheerful little flowers are very early—often flowering with the snowdrops weeks ahead of the large flowering crocuses. What they lack in size they make up in quantity, being very free flowering.

CHRYSANTHUS SNOWBUNTING. Very early pure white. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.50.

**SIEBERI.** Clear lilac with deep golden center. Charming for growing in bowls. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.75.

**SUSIANUS.** Deep golden yellow veined on the outside with brownish-purple. Recommended for naturalizing. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

**TOMMASSIANUS WHITEWELL PURPLE.** Deep purple. Produces masses of attractive flowers in late winter. Highly recommended. **12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.** 

**VERSICOLOR** (Cloth of Silver). Pretty little white flowers penciled on the outside with purple. Fragrant. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

## **COLLECTION OF CROCUS SPECIES**

The five above varieties to provide a wealth of flowers in earliest spring. 12 each (60 bulbs) \$2.35, 25 each (125 bulbs) \$4.50, 100 each (500 bulbs) \$17.25.

## LARGE FLOWERING VARIETIES

GOLDEN YELLOW. Rich yellow blossoms of good size borne in lavish profusion. Our top size bulbs make up to 15 blooms per hour. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

**KATHLEEN PARLOW.** Very large pure white with conspicuous orange anthers. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

**PURPUREA GRANDIFLORA.** Deep glossy purple. Extra large flowers of unusually heavy substance. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00.

QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Pure lilac-blue. The best of the light blue varieties. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

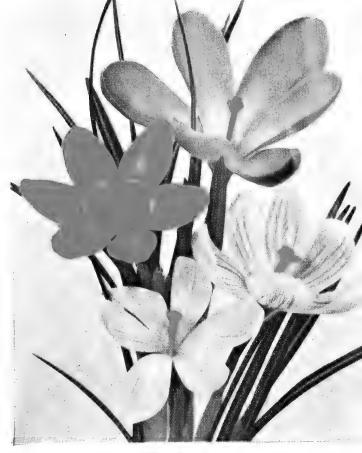
STRIPED BEAUTY. Large flowers of dark mauve with white stripes. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

## LARGE FLOWERING CROCUSES MIXED

A choice mixture made up from splendid named varieties in a wide color range. Largest size bulbs. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50. Good blooming size bulbs, 17 for 50c, 100 for \$2.60.



SCILLA CAMPANULATA



MIXED CROCUS

## COLLECTION OF LARGE FLOWERING CROCUSES

12 each of the five named varieties (60 bulbs) for \$2.50 25 each (125 bulbs) for \$4.70 100 each (500 bulbs) for \$17.50

## SCILLAS

The scillas are most satisfactory bulbs for naturalizing and borders. They thrive in woodland or full sun and increase in beauty from year to year. The campanulata (hispanica) varieties have erect stems 10 to 12 inches high—higher in rich, shady places.

**LA GRANDESSE.** Pure white. An excellent tall growing variety with large bells. The spikes somewhat resemble Lily of the Valley. **12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.** 

**BLUE QUEEN.** A fine porcelain blue with large flowers. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

**ROSE QUEEN.** Soft rose pink flowers that are especially attractive. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.50.

CAMPANULATA EXCELSIOR. A tall vigorous plant with much larger flowers and stronger stems than other varieties. A delightful shade of lavender blue. It is a lovely companion for the later yellow tulips. 12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.50.

CAMPANULATA MIXED. Excellent mixture of all colors. 12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50.

**SCILLA SIBERICA.** A very early little flower with the most enchanting bright blue color. Several bell-shaped flowers on stems 3 to 4 inches high. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.50.

**SCILLA SIBERICA SPRING BEAUTY.** The flowers are about twice as tall and large as the regular type. The same wonderful blue coloring. 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.40.

## FIRST ARRIVALS OF SPRING COLLECTION

To brighten the dark days of late winter and early spring plant this collection of the very earliest little bulb flowers. Chionodoxa Luciliae, Luciliae Alba, Luciliae Rosea, Eranthis Hyemalis, Galanthus Nivalis and Scilla Siberica.

12 each (72 bulbs) \$3.75

25 each (150 bulbs) \$7.25

MARIPOSA TULIPS (Calochortus)

## WEST COAST NATIVES

## **BRODIAEAS**

**FINEST FORMULA MIXED.** The Brodiaeas have numerous florets in large clusters or umbels on slender but strong stems. The blossoms are very long lasting. This is a splendid assortment of the different types and colors including white, yellow and several types of blues. **12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.50.** 

## **CALOCHORTI**

MARIPOSA OR BUTTERFLY TULIPS MIXED. These calochorti are of easy culture. They are not particular as to soil but must have full sun, good drainage and be allowed to remain entirely dry after ripening off. This is a splendid mixture of several different varieties. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

MIXED GLOBE, STAR AND MARIPOSA TULIPS. A choice mixture showing the wide variety of forms of the beautiful calochorti. The star tulips are also called cat's ears. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.

## TRILLIUM

**OVATUM.** The finest of the trilliums. The large blossoms open pure white, gradually turn pink and finally become deep winepurple. This bulb likes shade and leafmold. **3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.25.** 

## **ERYTHRONIUMS**

Among the bulb flowers there are few so charming as these natives of the Pacific Coast mountains and valleys. Not only are the flowers beautiful but the richly mottled foliage is attractive, also. They like partial shade and a soil rich in leafmold. Plant the bulbs as promptly as possible, cover them about 3 inches deep.

**HELENAE** (Californicum Bicolor). The outer half of the petals is pure white, the central part golden yellow. Fragrant. The bulbs increase rapily. 12 for 70c.

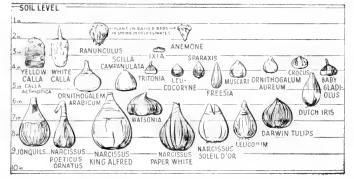
**HENDERSONII.** Beautiful deep lavenderflowers with a zone of creamy white and a deep maroon base. Easily grown. **12 for 80c.** 

**OREGONUM** (Giganteum). Large flowers of creamy-white banded toward the center with maroon. Branching stems about a foot high. Leaves strikingly mottled with dark brown. 12 for 90c.

**REVOLUTUM LILAC-PINK BEAUTY.** Lovely soft lavender-pink flowers. The stems are long and carry from one to four of the beautifully tinted large blossoms. **12 for \$1.25.** 

MIXED ERYTHRONIUMS. An excellent mixture of the different types and colors. 12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.65.

## **BULB PLANTING SUGGESTIONS**



In this short space we cannot give complete cultural instructions for all the different kinds of bulbs, but there are a few basic facts, which is understood, will enable any one to have success—most of the time. We will be glad to send a booklet on growing bulbs if you ask for it with your order.

**SOIL.** Nothing fancy is needed, just good garden soil reasonably well supplied with plant food. We always add Vigoro or similar fertilizer before spading up the ground, which should be prepared deeply, 15 inches or more. Organic manures in moderation are good if applied at least a year in advance.

**MOISTURE.** The bulbs should have ample moisture from the time they are planted until they ripen off. Water should never stand over the bulbs—especially important with tulips.

**CUTTING FLOWERS.** Naturally you want to cut many of the blossoms. That is one of the main reasons for growing the bulbs. It does little harm to the bulbs if you go easy on the foliage. The plant needs its green leaves to feed the bulb for next year. Remember! The bulbs make almost all of their new bulb growth between the time of flowering and the ripening of the foliage.

**SEED FORMATION.** Always remove the wilted flowers or seed pods. If the bulb is allowed to form seed, it doesn't work so hard at growing bulbs for next year. This is especially true with tulips. **DIGGING TIME.** Dig bulbs when the foliage is turning yellow and becoming lifeless. Do not wait until it is dry and dead. Never expose the bulbs to bright sunshine but take them immediately to a cool place out of the sun and wind.



**ERYTHRONIUMS** 

## COLORFUL RANUNCULI

Exacting selection and expert growing has made the Tecolote Giants the best strain of ranunculi on the market. The flowers are large and fully double. The bulbs are carefully cured and graded.

**TECOLOTE GIANTS MIXED.** A superior mixture containing all the superb colorings of this beautiful flower—red, pink, orange, yellow and white.

Top Size. This size will make exceptionally large clumps. For those who want the best. 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$8.25.

First Size. Splendid large roots. Probably the best and most economical size for general planting. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$7.00.

Second Size. The flowers will be of the same high quality but not so many per plant. 15 for 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

**GOLDEN YELLOW.** Splendid large double flowers of brilliant golden yellow. One of the finest ranunculi. **12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.** 

**ORANGE.** A selection that has attracted much attention because of the brilliance of the color. **12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.** 

PINK. Delightful pink flowers in many shades. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50. RED. Brilliant orange-red to deep crimson. 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.

**WHITE.** Beautiful double white flowers often showing green shadings in the center. **12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.50.** 



RANUNCULUS

## FREESIAS

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These freesias are much superior to the older varieties. The flowers are larger, the stems are longer and stronger and the plants are more vigorous. The flowers often measure more than  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across. They have beautiful clear colors and delightful fragrance. Freesias will withstand several degrees of frost and are easily grown in a cool greenhouse.

**MAMMOTH WHITE.** A splendid new pure white freesia with exceptionally large flowers. It blooms very early. 12 for 80c, 100 for \$6.00.

**TECOLOTE HYBRIDS MIXED.** A splendid mixture containing the different shades of these new hybrids in yellow, red, blue, pink and white. Vastly superior to ordinary mixed freesias. **12 for 75c, 100 for \$5.50.** 

## SPARAXIS

**TECOLOTE HYBRIDS.** The highly colored blossoms with their vividly contrasting centers make a very effective display. Most of the flowers are shades of red, orange and salmon with centers of black, violet, or yellow. Others have no markings. Plant in fall or early winter, 3 inches deep, in full sun. Give some protection in very cold weather. **12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00.** 



ST. BRIGID ANEMONES

## **BRILLIANT ANEMONES**

The anemones bring a profusion of color and brightness to the garden with small effort or expense. Each bulb may produce a dozen or more flower stems, spreading the flowering over a long period in the late winter and spring. These bulbs will stand considerable freezing, probably down to 10 degrees F. They may also be planted in the early spring.

MONARCH DE CAEN. A strong growing strain of the single poppy anemone. Large flowers in shades of red, pink, lavender, blue and white. 12 for 70c, 100 for \$5.00. ST. BRIGID CREAGH CASTLE. Large double flowers in appealing shades of red, pink, blue, lavender and white. Long stems and attractive deep green foliage. 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.40.

**BLUE POPPY.** A beautiful strain of deep blue. Large single flowers on strong stems. 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.40.

**HIS EXCELLENCY.** Vivid red flowers with a white base. Large single poppy type anemone. **12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.40.** 

**THE BRIDE.** Large single pure white. Strong and vigorous. Stamens and central boss are white, slightly tinged green. **12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.40.** 

## Red White and Blue ANEMONE COLLECTION

COLLECTION OF RANUNCULI
The five beautiful and distinct colors listed above.
6 each (30 bulbs) \$ 2.35
12 each (60 bulbs) \$ 4.50
25 each (125 bulbs) \$ 8.95

100 each (500 bulbs) \$35.60

12 each of three separate colors (36 bulbs) for \$2.45 25 each (75 bulbs) \$ 4.75 100 each (300 bulbs) \$18.75



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#### SUNSET LILY

80c, 12 for \$3.00.

SUNSET LILY (L. Pardalinum Giganteum). A very popular lily of brilliant coloring and vigorous growth. When established the strong stems are five to seven feet high with as many as 40 flowers. The outer part of the recurved flower is bright scarlet, the center is chrome yellow dotted maroon. It grows well in almost any soil and under a wide variety of conditions but should have an ample supply of moisture during the growing season. Each 30c, 3 for

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. We are offering two splendid strains developed by Oregon growers. These strains are free from mosaic disease that causes so much trouble and loss with the older types and imported bulbs.

Both strains are strong vigorous-growing and free flowering.

**Elkton Strain.** Of the rubrum type with large six-petaled flowers of deep bright pink. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.75, 12 for \$10.00.

Oregon Giants. A magnificent form of Speciosum similar in color to the Elkton lily but considerably larger. It is easier flowering, thus greatly lengthening the season for this beautiful variety. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.75, 12 for \$10.00.

REGALE. A most dependable and hardy trumpet lily which is worthy of a place in any garden. The large recurving trumpets are white shading to yellow in the throat. The ribs on the outside are brown. It is very floriferous and when established bears up to two dozen flowers. Strong medium size bulbs (6-7 inches), Each 25c, 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50. Extra large bulbs (9-10 inches), Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, 12 for \$5.00.

CENTIFOLIUM—OLYMPIC HYBRIDS. A very beautiful hardy garden lily characterized by extreme vigor and size, growing to height of six feet or more. The large flowers vary in shape from the typical trumpet form to the widely opened bowl form. The color range includes creamy yellow, pinkish tones and icy green, as well as pure white. The outside is shaded with green, brown and wine tints. The flowering period extends about a month following the Regal lilies. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$3.75.

## THE LILIES

For beauty and fragrance in the summer there are no flowers to compare with the lilies Unfortunately many people are afraid to try lilies because they think they are difficult to grow. The varieties listed below are all of easy culture and require a minimum of care.

AURATUM IMPROVED ESPERANZA (Go'd Band Lily). Until recently success with this magnificent lily has been difficult because of the diseased condition of the only bulbs available. With our disease-free seed-grown bulbs there should be no special trouble. The huge white blossoms are broadly banded down the center of the petals with golden yellow. August and September flowering. Stems 4 to 6 ft. high. Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.25, 12 for \$22.50.

L. SPECIOSUM RUBRUM

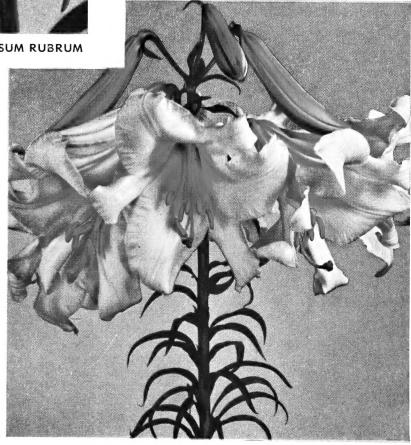
AURELIAN HYBRIDS. These exquisite lilies were developed by Yerex Bulb Farms from crosses of the beautiful hybrid lily aurelianense (Sargentiae x Henryi) with numerous other fine species. They range from white lilies of Henryi form to trumpet lilies of deep yellow and apricot with all imaginable intermediate shades. Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.45, 12 for \$12.50.

BELLINGHAM HYBRIDS. The result of a large number of crosses of the various West Coast native lilies. Because L. Parryi was used in the crosses, many of the hybrids are pure yellow. All of them have brilliantly colored flowers and are exceptionally fine for planting in the border or woodland. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, 12 for

CANDIDUM (Madonna or St. Joseph's Lily). A tall stately lily with pure waxy white blossoms. Delicious fragrance. Early June to July flowering. Plant in early fall, preferably in open sun where ground will dry out in late summer. Does not like acid soil. Do not cover more than 2 inches. No shipments after October 1st. Strong flowering size bulbs, 40c each, 3 for \$1.10. Large bulbs, 75c each, 3 for \$2.00.

CANDIDUM (Cascade Strain). A new strain of this oldest lily in cultivation. Raised from seed, these plants show unusual vigor and a great resistance to botrytis. The stems are tall and straight, bearing large blossoms of splendid texture and perfect form. Growing conditions same as for the regular type. Delivery in late August. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, 12 for \$7.50.

## **OLYMPIC HYBRID LILIES**



SHUKSAN. A strong vigorous growing hybrid developed by the late Dr. David Griffiths from a cross between L. Humboltii Magnificence and L. Pardalinum. The recurved blossoms are cadmium yellow dotted black and shaded with red at the tips of the petals. The stems are often 5 to 6 ft. high. Plant 6 to 8 inches deep in partial shade. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, 12 for \$7.50.

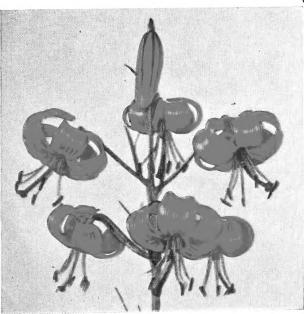
TIGRINUM SPLENDENS. A vigorous form of the old-fashioned tiger lily. Easily grown and very hardy. Makes a brilliant display of orange blossoms in August. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$4.00.

UMBELLATUM GRANDIFLORUM. An upright flowering lily with several cupshaped flowers of bright orange-red on strong stems of medium height. It is easily grown and increases rapidly. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.50.

FORMOSANUM. This is a reselection of Wilson's strain chosen for tall and large flowers of heavy substance. Nearly all the long trumpet shaped flowers are pure white with greenish throat. The stems are usually from four to six feet high with up to a dozen of the pleasingly fragrant blossoms which appear in September and October. Each 30c, 3 for 85c, 12 for \$3.00. Makes small bulb.

LONGIFLORUM CROFT. The Croft Lily. The finest of the low growing lilies for forcing, and an excellent garden lily also. Very large pure white trumpets of heavy substance on a plant about a foot and a half high with heavy wide foliage. Each 25c, 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.

LONGIFLORUM ESTATE. The Estate Lily. Similar to the Croft but taller and a better garden plant for most locations. Under glass it reaches a height of five feet with immense waxy white trumpets of superb quality. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.40, 12 for \$5.00.

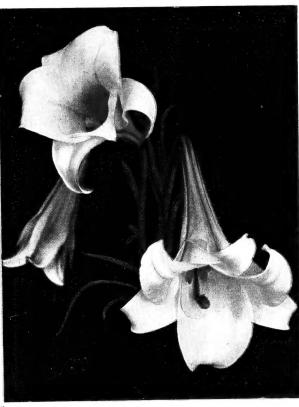


L. TENUIFOLIUM

HENRYI. "The Orange Speciosum". Recurved blossoms of soft orange-yellow marked with green in the center. Up to 20 flowers on 5- to 8-foot stems. Plant in partial shade. August flowering. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.50.

HUMBOLTII. A California native that is very desirable for gardens, growing in either full sun or light shade. The strong stems are usually 4 to 5 feet high with numerous large orange flowers marked with small maroon spots. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.05, 12 for \$7.50.

**TENUIFOLIUM (Pumilium).** Coral Lily. Brilliant coral-red recurving blossoms of waxy texture. As many as 20 flowers on a slender graceful stem with long narrow foliage. Very early flowering. The best lily for rock gardens. Plant 4 to 5 inches deep in light soil in full sun. Makes small bulb. **Each 25c, 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.** 



L. FORMOSANUM

## HARDY LILY COLLECTION

Centifolium Hybrids, Formosanum, Henryi, Regale, Sunset, Tenuifolium and Umbellatum. Seven beautiful varieties that flower over a long period and show wide diversity of form and color. Healthy flowering size bulbs. 3 each (21 bulbs) for \$5.75, 6 each (42 bulbs) for \$11.00, 12 each (84 bulbs) for \$21.00.

## **MERTENSIA**

VIRGINICA. One of the most beautiful plants to combine with the late daffodils and tulips. The blossoms are a lovely combination of soft pink and porcelain blue. The flowers are in pendant clusters on stems up to two feet high. Splendid for naturalizing in woodland or in the open. 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50.



L. HENRYI

## CULTURAL NOTES

We make every effort to supply you with lily bulbs in good growing condition. Do not let them dry out by leaving them in a dry warm place. As a rule the sooner they are put back into the ground the better off they will be. This prompt planting is especially required with Auratum. Six inches deep is enough for almost all the lily bulbs we offer. Of course Candidum requires very shallow planting and Auratum should be planted only 3 or 4 inches deep. Most of the lilies like a loose free working, well drained soil, rich in humus with an ample supply of moisture at all times. Caution should be exercised in using animal manures or any other type of fertilizer. All of the lilies except Candidum appreciate a ground cover or mulch to help keep the soil cool and moist.

## **TERMS**

This catalog cancels all previous prices. No orders accepted after December 1, except for Anemones and Ranunculus, if unsold, these are available until April 1. Daffodils that are quoted by "Each" will not be available after November 1—they deserve early planting.

Please do not order less than six of a variety unless an "Each" or "3" price is given.

No C.O.D. orders please. If you are not satisfied with the bulbs send them back and we will promptly refund your money.

All bulbs guaranteed true to name.

The filling of your order will be simplified if you use the order blank. If a letter accompanies the order please use a separate sheet

PLEASE PRINT NAME AND ADDRESS PLAINLY.

# RAINDOW TULIP MIXTURE

Each year we grow many acres of mixed tulips, hundreds of thousands of bulbs. This mixture contains scores of varieties in the most popular classes:

DARWIN TULIPS with their tall, sturdy stems and cup-shaped flowers in almost every shade of color.

MAYFLOWERING TU-LIPS, flowers of clear and brilliant coloring in a variety of graceful shapes.

LILY FLOWERED TU-LIPS, artistically beautiful. with reflexed petals.

BREEDER TULIPS, famous for huge flowers in various blendings.

NEW HYBRID TULIPS, a group whose color range is the most complete and brilliant in Tulipdom.

Each year our stock of these superb mixed tulips has increased. Now we have decided to make them available to our customers at a real saving in price, in

our RAINBOW TULIP MIXTURE. Remember, these are all high arade bulbs differing in size but not in quality. The sizes below all represent real value in healthy highest quality bulbs, hand-picked and carefully sorted for perfection. If you purchased the bulbs in the assortments listed below as named varieties at regular catalog prices, you would have to pay at least \$3.00 for our offer of \$2.00, and at least \$7.50 for our offer of \$5.00.

1st SIZE. 138 inches in diameter. 41/2 inches in circumference. Only slightly smaller than top size, they will yield blooms of excellent quality almost as large as Top Size.

32 for \$2.00 85 for \$5.00

2nd SIZE, 114 inches in diameter. 4 inches in circumference. Medium sized bulbs that can be relied on to produce very satisfactory flowers.

40 for \$2.00 110 for \$5.00

3rd SIZE. 11/8 inches in diameter. 3½ inches in circumference. These are blooming size bulbs and are especially recommended for mass plantings. They will yield fine flowers for cutting.

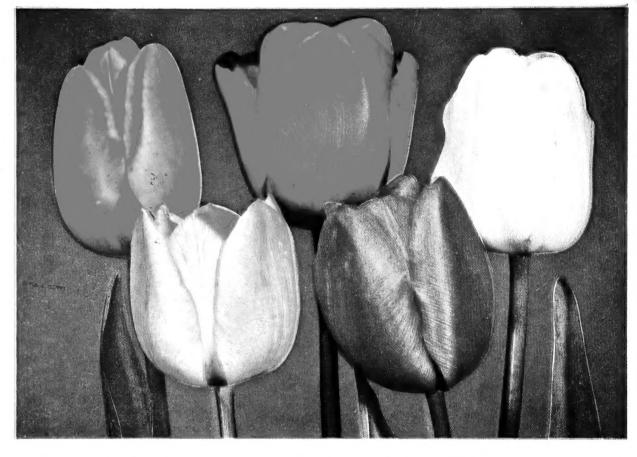
50 for \$2.00 135 for \$5.00

TOP SIZE.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, 5 inches and up in circumference. These are the largest bulbs obtainable and will give you the finest possible blooms.

25 for \$2.00 70 for \$5.00

4th SIZE. 1 inch in diameter. 31/4 inches in circumference. Most of these will bloom the first year and will rapidly grow into fine large bulbs. Highly recommended where the greatest possible number of bulbs are wanted for a small outlay

65 for \$2.00 180 for \$5.00





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